Weather
Variable weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 53.8 and the minimum 32.9, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 48.4 and 30.4.

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BISHOP OF CORK EX-COMMUNICATES ALL WHO AMBUSH CROWN FORCES

Rousing Welcome Is Given To Constantine In Athens

Royal Party's Train Enters City Amid Scenes Of Wild Enthusiasm

(*Reuter's Service*)

Athens, Dec. 19.—Constantine arrived here today and immediately proceeded to the Cathedral, then to the Royal Palace, amid scenes of indescribable enthusiasm.

MESSAGE TO PEOPLE

London, Dec. 20.—Constantine, in a message to the Greek people, recalls the agonising emotion of his exile, and declares that his people's unanimous call has proved the truth of his father's device—"My strength is in the love of the people."

He says that henceforth his life will be devoted to the strict observance of constitutional right, aiming to secure tranquillity at home, and national re-establishment aboard, while relying on his heroic army.

PLAN ALTERED

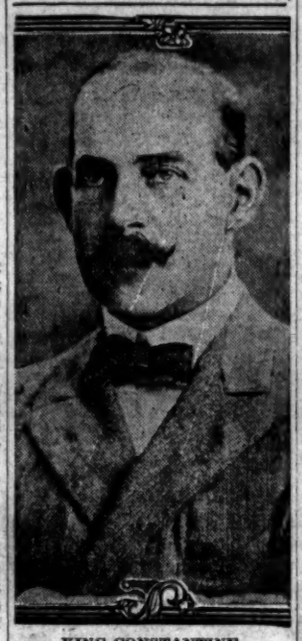
The royal party arrived by train from the Gulf of Corinth. The plan for their landing at Phalerum was altered at the last moment, owing to the roughness of the sea having made some of them seasick.

The royal train was preceded by a whistling pilot engine, covered with palms and steamed very slowly in order to enable the masses of Constantinian stalwarts accompanying it to keep up with the train. As soon as the train stopped, the public stormed it, jumped on the foot-boards and swarmed on to the roofs of the carriages.

GENERAL AT MONTPELLIER

Paris, Dec. 20.—General Paraskevopoulos, former Venizelist Commander-in-Chief of the Greek army in Asia Minor, has arrived at Montpellier, and proposes to stay there permanently.

Greek Monarch Back



KING CONSTANTINE

BOULON ACTION IS HELD UP FOR THREE MONTHS

Civil Suit Delayed As Evidence Must Come From New York

As the result of Judge C. S. Lobingier's decision granting indefinite postponement of the civil suit of Mr. F. G. Boulon against Gaston, Williams and Wigmore, as asked for by Mr. Boulon's attorney, Mr. R. S. Haskell, when the case was called Monday morning, it is thought unlikely that the case can go to trial in the next three months.

Mr. Haskell asked that the trial be postponed to enable him to obtain the deposition of Mr. George H. Coleman who is now in New York and if the hearing is to be deferred until this deposition is taken and sent on from New York to Shanghai there is little chance that the trial can be opened under three months.

The status of the litigation between Mr. Boulon and the company now is that a decision following the criminal trial at which Mr. Boulon answered charges of embezzlement is pending and the trial of Boulon's civil action is yet to be held. In this the company's former manager here is seeking to recover Tls. 15,000 and G.$14,000 he alleges to be due to him from profits, commissions and loans.

The suit started by Mr. Boulon against the company on behalf of his wife, Mrs. Mary Boulon for the sum of Taels 2,000, has been withdrawn. This action was based on the alleged failure of the company to deliver to Mrs. Boulon in Shanghai certain silverware and household goods said to have been accepted by the company at New York for shipment. In withdrawing the action it was announced that delivery of the goods to Mrs. Boulon had been made by Gaston, Williams and Wigmore.

BOLSHEVIKI MOVE TO WIN ELECTION AT VLADIVOSTOK

Executive Body Is In Power Following Dissolution Of Assembly

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Vladivostok, Dec. 20.—Most of the peasant members have departed from Vladivostok, and the Assembly has been dissolved. An executive body has been formed for carrying on the government of the Maritime Province, pending the general elections, which are the main subject of public interest at present.

It is reported that the Bolsheviki are trying in many ways to bring influence to bear on the coming elections. The Communists forcibly closed a peasant election meeting at Blagoveshchensk.

The peasants have, accordingly, informed the Chita Government that if they are not allowed to carry on the elections without interference, they will recall their sons from the Red army.

Find Three Guilty Of Aiding Germany In Newspaper Plot

Concealed Fact Of Advance Made To Buy New York Mail

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, Dec. 20.—Doctor Edward Rumely and two lawyers have been found guilty on a number of counts, on the ground that they concealed from the authorities the fact that funds for the purchase of the New York Evening Mail in 1917 were advanced by the German Imperial Government. The accused were recommended to mercy. The evidence at the trial contained illuminating reference to the activities of Herr Albert, the German fiscal agent at New York, and Count Bernstorff.

DISCUSS SURTAX TODAY

Another joint conference of the Chinese Chambers of Commerce at Shanghai will be held this afternoon at 3 o'clock at the International Settlement Chamber to discuss the proposed imposition of the surtax.

RED CROSS WARDS ARRIVE AT VIBORG FROM SIBERIA

Children Who Sailed In Fall From Northern Seaport Now In Finland

END TRIP ROUND WORLD

Search To Be Made To Find Relatives And Homes For Refugee Waifs

(*Special Cable*)

Viborg, Dec. 20.—Six hundred Russian children, who were taken across Siberia under the care of the American Red Cross following the overthrow of the Czar's regime and were sent on their way back home from Vladivostok by the Red Cross last fall, have arrived here completing their trip around the world.

The children are to spend Christmas in the homes of 164 Finnish peasants where they will remain for a time. It is understood that negotiations are being carried forward by the American Red Cross with the authorities in Petrograd with the purpose of finding relatives of as many as possible of the children. Those whose relatives cannot be found will be placed in homes and cared for in other ways.

Demand $3,000,000 From Government To Pay Hupeh Troops

Tuchun And Wu-Han Commercial Body Send Delegation To Peking

(*Staff Wire To* THE CHINA PRESS)

Hankow, Dec. 21.—A delegation was sent to Peking today by General Wang Chan-yuan, the Hupeh Tuchun and the Wu-Han Chambers of Commerce to demand $3,000,000. The money will be used to pay the arrears of the troops of the province and will be only 50 percent of the actual amount due to the soldiers. The delegation will demand that this sum be sent to Hupeh before the end of the China New Year.

Hankow, Dec. 21.—The Ichang troops have demanded the payment of $120,000 by the Chamber of Commerce of that place. The sum of $70,000 has already been paid.

The Wuchang assemblymen have filed a protest in Peking regarding the action of the troops.

EXPRESS LINES IN U.S. MERGED

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Dec. 20.—Authority has been granted by the Interstate Commerce Commission for the permanent consolidation of the transportation business and properties of the Adams, American, Wells-Fargo and Southern Express Companies into the American Railway Express Company.

The Commission expressed the belief that the public would be best served by one consolidated company, striving at all times for the equalisation of rates.

Raiberti Becomes French War Minister

(*Reuter's French Wireless*)

Paris, Dec. 16.—The new Minister of War in succession to M. Andre Leferve (resigned), is M. Raiberti, President of the Finance Committee of the Chamber of Deputies. In a previous message his name was erroneously given as Gaibert.

Paris, Dec. 17.—The newspapers express satisfaction at M. Raiberti's appointment, as he is perfectly conversant with military and financial problems.

Storm Demolishes Village On Island

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, Dec. 21.—Further details of the storm at Yap Island last Friday indicate that the native village was practically destroyed, only twenty houses remaining. Many pigs and cattle were killed. The Government is despatching a relief ship with provisions and building materials.

A hundred native vessels are reported lost.

Reparations Plan Being Worked Out

Brussels Meeting Of Allied And German Delegates In Session Sunday

(*French Wireless*)

Paris, Dec. 20.—The exchange of views between the Allied and German delegates attending the Reparations Conference in Brussels was continued on Sunday. The heads of the French and Belgian delegations are working without relaxation every day, and they have in particular had long interviews with Herr Bergmann, the chief of the German delegation. M. Cheysson, the second French delegate, left Brussels on Saturday evening for Paris in order to inform his Government of the progress of the pourparlers.

According to the Excelsior, the result to be expected from this conference will be mainly to evolve a practical method of executing the German obligations in regard to reparations. All the delegates, of whatever nationality, are of this opinoin.

British Admiralty Knew Day Before Jutland Fight German Fleet Was Starting

Remarkable Disclosures Are Made In Official Report Of Single Great Naval Engagement Of War

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, December 17.—The despatches relating to the battle of Jutland are now published by the Admiralty in a volume of 600 pages. They include Admiral Lord Jellicoe's description of the battle and the narratives of the squadron commanders.

Admiral Jellicoe, in a covering despatch, dated June 18, 1916, says he did not feel anxiety as to the advanced position of Admiral Beatty's force, because of its superior gun-power and speed. Admiral Beatty adopted the correct and only possible course when he sighted the enemy battle cruisers, by engaging them and endeavoring to keep between the enemy and his base.

A disturbing feature of the battle cruiser action was the fact that five Germans, engaging six British battle cruisers, supported by the long range fire of four of the Queen Elizabeth's guns, were able to sink the Queen Mary and Indefatigable. The facts which contributed to the British losses were their indifferent armor protection and their disadvantage in regard to light, but the German gunnery in the early stages of the engagement was of the highest standard.

GERMANS WELL ORGANISED

Furthermore, the German organisation for operations at night was very good, and their system for the recognition of signals was excellent, whereas ours was practically nil, while their searchlights were also superior to ours.

Continuing, Admiral Jellicoe says: "The German tactics were those which we always anticipated. The enemy's 'turn away' under cover of destroyers is a most difficult move to counter. Admiral Sturdee assisted me greatly in studying this movement and devising a counter, but there is no real counter. Nothing but ample time and superior speed can be the answer.

"This means that, unless the fleets meet early in the day, it is most difficult, if not impossible, to fight an action to a finish. The enemy on this occasion did not expect to find our whole fleet present.

"The enemy had not time to lay a prepared mine area, and not much time to place submarines, although many were present. It is unlikely that in future actions we shall be so favored. It might actually be necessary purposely to delay a close action on account of the possibilities afforded the mine submarine of preparing a trap on a large scale. This possibility will increase as enemy submarines increase."

FLAG OFFICERS PRAISED

Admiral Jellicoe pays tribute to the flag officers who handled the fleet. He says the feature of the action was the numerous torpedoes that crossed our line without effect, except as regards the Marlborough. All of them were avoided by skilful handling, and the Marlborough herself evaded seven before being struck.

The results of the action—particularly the knowledge of the unexpected speed of the enemy's third squadron—must influence our future tactics, says Admiral Jellicoe. It will not be advisable, for instance, to place the fifth battle squadron in a position removed from support.

The volume includes the report of the German Admiral, Scheer. The latter says that the decisive factor of success which he claims was, both directly and indirectly, the long range and heavy armament of the larger vessels, which caused the greater part of the known losses inflicted on the enemy, and enabled the flotillas successfully to attack the main fleet.

Admiral Scheer concludes by affirming that the large warship—the battleship and cruiser—remains the foundation of sea power, and should be further developed.

BEATTY'S SIGNAL

Among the interesting points brought out in these despatches is the disclosure of the fact that it was the Admiralty, having received information that the German fleet was coming out, which ordered the fleets to sea on the afternoon previous to the battle. Admiral Jellicoe fixed the rendezvous for three separated fleets for two o'clock next afternoon.

Admiral Beatty's famous signal was not, as variously reported: "Follow me. We have got them," but "Submit van battleships follow battle cruisers. We can then cut off whole enemy's battle fleet." On receipt of this Admiral Jellicoe signalled: "Second battle squadron follow our battle cruisers."

Admiral Beatty's signal was timed 7:50 in the evening, and not, as

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Police Of New York Take Drastic Steps To Stop Crime Wave

All Men On Furlough Recalled; Wealthy Woman Figures In Case

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 20.—The New York police are taking drastic steps to deal with the prevailing wave of crime. Henceforth all known criminals will be barred from the shopping district about Fifth Avenue.

A flying squad of 40 motor-cars and numerous motor-cycles, manned with detectives, is patrolling the city unceasingly. All police on furlough have been recalled. The latest sensation is the arrest of the wife of a wealthy Chicago insurance agent in connection with the murder of a police inspector who tried to stop a motor-car with thieves in it.

U.S. Senate Accepts House Amendment

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Dec. 20.—The House of Representatives' amendment to the joint resolution providing for the revival of the War Finance Corporation (which deleted the section directing the Federal Reserve Board to extend liberal credits to farmers) has been accepted by the Senate. The resolution now goes to the President, who is expected to veto it.

CASPARI SAILS

(*French, Wireless*)

Paris, Dec. 20.—Monsignor Enrico Caspari has sailed from Bordeaux for Brazil, where he has just been appointed Papal Nuncio.

Bombay Merchants Hit By Exchange Ban British Goods

Action Of Peace Goods Men Halts Sale Of Materials Now On Docks

(*Reuter's Service*)

Bombay, Dec. 20.—The anxiety of merchants here owing to the fall of exchange and the stagnation of trade is evidenced by a resolution passed by the native piece-goods merchants' association, to the effect that until the authorities take steps to remove the present trade difficulties, no merchant shall order or buy any British or foreign piece-goods or goods from up-country.

The effect of this will be to prevent the sale by auction of goods now lying at the docks, which were originally ordered on the basis of a 2s. exchange, and of which the firms who ordered them are unable in the present circumstances to take delivery.

Cost Of War Told By Lloyd George

Casualties Thirty Million He Says And Deaths Nine Million

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 20.—Replying to Mr. Shirley Benn in the House of Commons today, Mr. Lloyd George said it was substantially correct to state that the war cost thirty million casualties, nine million deaths, fifty thousand millions sterling directly, and sixty-seven thousand millions indirectly.

PEKING HEARS OF WILSON'S APPEAL FOR FAMINE AID

Notice Is Sent To Waichiaopu By Legation President Is Asking For Funds

DESIGNATE FUND OFFICERS

Chinese Women Here Expect To Raise $10,000 Though Theatrical Offering

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, Dec. 20.—The American Legation has informed the Waichiaopu that on December 10 President Wilson made a public appeal for funds in support of the Chinese Famine Relief, as follows:

"To an unusual degree China looks to us for counsel and friendship. I am inclined to think that the loss from death in a distressing form may run into millions of souls. It is certain that the established agencies are unable to cope with the magnitude of the disaster. Not only in the name of humanity but in that of the friendliness we feel toward this great people in distress, venture to ask our citizens to respond to this appealing cry for assistance, and am confident of an answer made in a generous spirit."

The President has designated the Acting Secretary of State, Mr. Davis, as honorary treasurer of the fund to be raised, and Mr. Thomas W. Lamont as chairman.

CHINESE WOMEN EXPECT TO GET $10,000

Indications are that the Women's Famine Relief Association, formed recently by prominent Chinese women here, will realise in the neighborhood of $10,000 through the special three-day performance which began last night at the Modern Theater in the Chinese City.

Last night's performance saw the big theater well filled and the sale of tickets and boxes for the remaining performances has been very gratifying.

The outside of the theater and the boxes inside were decorated for the occasion and a number of young ladies of the Sheng family—Mrs. Sheng Kung-pao is president of the Association—acted as ushers.

One of the features of the evening was a speech of thanks to the patrons delivered by little Miss S. S. Chu, aged 15.

CHINA BODIES OPPOSE SURTAX

A demand to rescind the order for famine surcharges on merchandise was made by the local Chinese Chambers of Commerce on Sunday to the Peking Government. The decision to make the demand was as the result of a joint meeting of the chambers Sunday.

Protests against the surtax have been received daily by the chambers from the local merchants and organisations, most of whom threaten to strike if the new tax is imposed on January 1 1921.

The chambers, following the despatch of the telegraphic demand to Peking, asked the local merchants through an advertisement to remain calm and await the outcome of the demand made on Peking.

The list of subscriptions to the Chinese Foreign Famine Relief Committee for the week ending December 18.

Subscribers.	Dollars
Previously acknowledged	$730,666.40
Received during the week;—	
Girls' Friendly Society	1,500.00
M. D. Silas	10.00
T. W. Nayler	9.55
Superintendant Wilson.	10.00
Foreign Staff Ault and Wiborg Co. (Savings from X'mas presents)	205.00
Yangchow Central Gospel Hall Church	24.00
Virginia School, Huchow	220.00
Mrs. H. S. Nelson	50.00
J. D. Clark	10.00
Chester Wells Purrington	25.00
Shanghai Race Club	10,000.00
L. Horn	15.00
Joseph J. Evans	35.00
F. Oldfield	5.00
Anonymous	10.00
Shooping C.M.S. Church.	76.21
New Engineering and Shipbuilding Works	5,000.00
B. F. Savard Remedios	10.00
B. A. T. Staff, Pengfu and Tsingkiangfu	37.00
B. A. T. Staff, Wenchow.	42.50
B. A. T. Staff, Manchuria	1,713.68
B. A. T. Staff Yunnan	126.75

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Reading Of Decree Is Cause Of Wild Disorder At Mass In St. Finbar's

Leaders Of Irish Republican Army Carried As Hostages In Government Motors On Orders Of Military Governors

(*Special Cable*)

Cork, December 20.—Scenes of wild confusion at St. Finbar's Catholic Church on Lough Road yesterday marked the reading of a decree published by Bishop Daniel Cohalan Of Cork in which he authorises the ex-communication from the Roman Catholic Church of any Catholic who takes part in attempts to attack British soldiers from ambush.

At St. Finbar's a large number left the mass after the priest read the Bishop's decree. The rush for the doors became general, and a near riot ensued. Heavy police details and soldiers were soon posted as guards outside the Church.

No trouble was reported at any of the other eleven churches in Cork and St. Finbar's alone of the 70 churches in the city and suburbs of Cork under the jurisdiction of Bishop Cohalan, was the scene of a demonstration.

IS FAMOUS CHURCH

St. Finbar's is one of the famous churches in Cork and was formerly the Lough Chapel.

The decree authorising excommunication has been promised for some weeks as the Bishop of Cork had promised to aid the British Government in its campaign against shooting of Crown soldiers from behind walls and buildings in both the city and the country.

The decree which was issued a week ago was read at all masses in each of the 70 parishes in the Diocese for the first time yesterday. It applies to a Catholic population of 170,000 who are members of 35 different parishes and attend masses at 70 churches.

NOTED CHURCHMAN

Bishop Cohalan, whose decree will probably be followed by similar authorisations in other dioceses in Ireland, is one of the best known of Irish Bishops. Born at Kilmichael on the 14th of July in 1858 he was ordained at Maynooth in 1882 and became professor of Dogma at Maynooth College. He is an author of several books on theology which are in use in all parts of the world.

He was consecrated Bishop on the 25th of May, 1914, and succeeded Bishop O'Callaghan as head of the important diocese of Cork on Dec. 7, 1916.

Soviet Announces All Fronts Quiet

(*Special Cable*)

London, Dec. 20.—It is reported here that an announcement has been published in the Daily Bulletin of the Soviet Government that activities on all war fronts have ceased for the first time since the soviet regime has been in power.

AMERICAN TARIFF MEASURE MAY BE BI-PARTISAN BILL

Means That Virtual Embargo Will Be Put On Grain And Other Products

(*Special Cable*)

Washington, Dec. 20.—An effort is being undertaken to obtain bi-partisan support of the Fordney emergency tariff measure that virtually places an embargo on imports of grain, corn, wool and other products with the purpose of aiding American agriculturists. A committee of members of Congress from agricultural districts is carrying on work in support of the measure.

This committee also has gone on record in favor of reviving the War Finance Corporation.

CANADA REMOVES LUXURY TAXES

(*Special Cable*)

Ottawa, Ontario, Dec. 20.—Through action taken by the Canadian Parliament all taxes on luxuries in Canada have been abolished. Alcoholic beverages, confectionary and playing cards, it is understood, are included.

New Developments Come To Light In Nikolaievsk Dispute

Report Unarmed Chinese Naval Party Was Fired On By Japanese

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, Dec. 21.—It is stated that the Nikolaievsk dispute has been satisfactorily concluded and that the Chinese Government will instruct its Minister at Tokio to tender an expression of regret.

A further important development in connection with the affair has, however, come to light. It appears that a boat left a Chinese gunboat with a wood-cutting party, and that when the cannonading was heard it anchored near the shore. It is reported that a Japanese gunboat fired on this boat, sinking it and killing thirty of its occupants. The matter was taken up at the time by the Chinese authorities, but no decision was reached.

It is now reported that the Foreign Office is making representations to the Japanese Government in the expectation that immediate steps will be taken to make reparation.

M. LONG IN PARIS

(*French Wireless*)

Paris, Dec. 20.—M. Long, the Governor-General of Indo-China, was received in private audience today by the President of the Republic, with whom he discussed the situation in the Far East.

VALERA GOES TO FRANCE

Paris, Dec. 20.—It is reported from Cherbourg that Mr. de Valera, the head of Sinn Fein, will arrive there tomorrow from New York by the Aquitaina en route for Paris.

COUP IN GALWAY

London, Dec. 20.—The forces of the Crown carried out an extraordinary coup in Galway yesterday morning. The police and military in mobile craft surrounded the wild and rocky Aran Islands, which they systematically searched for some of the most desperate revolutionaries who were believed to be hiding there. Seven were arrested, two were shot dead, and three were wounded in trying to escape.

AGAIN ADDRESSES PREMIER

London, Dec. 19.—Father O'Flannagan has sent a further message to Mr. Lloyd George, declaring that Sinn Fein is a peaceful political organisation, but the violent attacks upon it inevitably led to violent reactions. He says that reconciliation is only possible when representatives of both nations meet as equals to draw up an agreement. He denies having "closed the door," as Mr. Lloyd George said, though he may have discovered it closed when he thought to find it open.

BANK SUSPENDS PAYMENT

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 20.—Farrow's Bank has suspended payment.

EGYPTIAN ART EXHIBITED IN U.S.

Metropolitan Museum Has Jewels Given By Sensuret II. To Princess

THEY ARE 4,000 YEARS OLD

Many Specimens Exquisite In Design And Extraordinary In Workmanship

New York, Nov. 13.—The Metropolitan Museum has on view what is said to be the most valuable group of jewelry of the ancients yet discovered. It is the imperial gifts of King Sensuret II., who ruled in Egypt 4,000 years ago, to the Princess Sat-Hathor-Iunut, which was dug up in 1914 at the base of the Pyramid of Lahun.

The jewels, which are exquisite both in design and workmanship, include a pectoral of extraordinary beauty, which is suspended from a necklace of lapis, green felspar, carnelian and golden beads. In the design of the pectoral is a cartouche in which has been worked the King's name and which is protected on each side by a falcon crowned with the disk of the sun and by a uraeus, from which hangs the symbol of life. A squatting figure below grasps a "sheaves of years" in each hand and hanging from his elbow is a tadpole, representing 100,000. The design asks the gods: "May King Sensuret II. live 100,000 years."

In the group are also deep armlets, which are almost equally extraordinary and equally beautiful. They are wrought from six bars of gold, each bearing thirty-seven rows of beads, which hold apart as many rows of smaller beads of carnelian and turquoise. They are fastened by a small slide of gold upon which is engraved the names and titles of Amenemhat II., who is supposed to have made this particular gift to the Princess. Inlaid in the armlets are designs which represent "satisfaction of the heart," "the heart in peace among the gods" and "life amid all protection."

The find also includes a collar of double lion heads, a girdle of large cowries, an amethyst necklace with gold claw pendants and obsidian vases of solid black mounted in gold which were used by the Princess to hold her toilet ointments or cosmetics: caskets of ivory veneer and ebony, inlaid with gold, and a diadem, which was held by the Egyptian authorities and is now on exhibit in Cairo.

The diadem, which is the most precious of all the objects in the group, is a band of gold more than an inch in width and eighteen inches in length. In front it has the royal uraeus inlaid with carnelian and lapis and with eyes of garnet. On the band itself are fifteen rosettes with streamers of gold suspended from them on the side and back. A double plume of gold, so delicate that they would stir with every movement of the head, is riveted on one side.

The discovery of the jewels by Professor Flinders Petrie and Guy Brunton is almost as interesting as the jewels themselves, and has been described by Professor Petrie as follows:

"On the south side of the Pyramid of Lahun four large shafts were found, doubtless all belonging to members of the royal family. They had all been opened and plundered, probably in the decadence of the kingdom before the Hyksos. They had then been left open and gradually filled up with dust and mud washed in by occasional storms. In one of these stood a granite sarcophagus, the massive lid of which had been partly pushed off and the edge broken away, enough to let a boy in to clear out the contents, and nothing whatever was left in it. The place appeared to have been entirely ransacked, and only a recess at the side of the passage remained to be examined. This was filled with hard, washed mud like the rest, and nothing could look less promising. The trained workman was told to clear it out.

"After a few cuts of the pick the man saw some tubular beads of gold appearing. He at once removed the local workers who were about him and sent word to the staff. Mr. Frost was at liberty and went down; after taking out about a pound weight of gold beads and beginning to uncover the band of the diadem he fetched Mr. Brunton to come down and continue the clearing. The rest of the afternoon and on to midnight the clearing went on without even extracting the diadem, as the ground was so hard. Mr. Brunton. . . . worked at intervals during the night removing the diadem safely next morning. For five days, and several evenings also, Mr. Brunton, with sometimes Mr. Willey, steadily worked through the cubic yard of hard mud, every scrap of which had to be loosened most carefully, as the jewelry and ivory work were scattered throughout it and a single rough cut might do great damage. After that work the whole of the earth was brought up to the huts, and for some weeks sifting went on gradually and thoroughly, and all the richer portions were completely washed away as liquid mud, leaving the most minute beads behind. Thus more than 10,000 beads were recovered.

"The place had been attacked; the long and heavy work of shifting the massive granite lid of the sarcophagus and breaking it away had been achieved; yet all this gold was left in the recess of the passage untouched. The whole treasure seems to have been stacked in the recess from the first and to have gradually dropped apart as the wooden caskets decayed in the course of years, with repeated flooding of storm water and mud slowly washed into the pit. It cannot be that the whole was deliberately buried in mud to hide it, as then the parts would have been in exact position. On the contrary, everything showed a long gradual decay, during which the wood and the threads were rotted by wet, the beads all rolled apart, the parts of the armlets had fallen in every direction and all the ivory veneer had dropped off and lay in a confused stratum of fragments. This was all bedded over by mud washing in to more than a foot in thickness. The whole treasure was standing in an open recess, within arm's reach of the gold seekers, while they worked at breaking open the granite sarcophagus."

Reconstruction of the jewels presented many great difficulties, and was only accomplished after much study and no end of tedious work. It was necessary first to determine the kind of jewels, and by the known lengths of necklaces, the diameters of the beads and the patters usually found on Egyptian figures to recreate them into the exquisite jewels now displayed at the Metropolitan.

The whole group resembles closely the Dahshur jewels discovered by De Morgan twenty-five years ago.

MOVE IN COMMONS IS MADE TO LIMIT NAVY INCREASES

Suggestion Is Advanced That Parley Be Held With U. S. And Japan

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Dec. 20.—In the House of Commons today, Sir Frederick Hall suggested that the question of fresh naval construction should be discussed with the United States and Japan before the new British naval program was decided on, in order to see whether an arrangement could be reached for reducing naval expenditure to the minimum consistent with national safety.

Mr. Lloyd George gave his assurance that the Imperial Defence Committee would consider the question.

Ts Siao-mo and Tsung Ah-ching were fighting on the Broadway and the reverberations were spreading insomnia throughout the whole Yangtszepoo district. So a policeman came along and dragged the two, still exchanging damaging verbal wallops, to the station.

"He's a thief!" yelled Ts when called on to explain to the desk sergeant.

"He's a deportee!" retaliated Tsung, fortissimo, and then they began getting really personal about each other and charge and countercharge volleyed forth until they became inextricably mixed and tangled in one grand, messed-up medley of sound, which only subsided when the two debaters were hauled away to cells.

Wong Ah-woo shed some light on the affair when the case came into court. Wong is a boatman and said that a couple of days previous Tsung had come aboard his craft and demanded money. Being refused, Tsung had given him a baleful look and remarked significantly that he had better look out for himself. The following night a waterproof cover which was in use on the boat disappeared and Wong recalled the warning. He then sent for Ts, who was employed on the boat and who, Wong recollected, appeared to have been acquainted with the visitor. Wong explained to Ts that it would be a very good thing for him if he went out and recovered that tarpaulin. This was all that Wong knew about it, but he presumed that the search for the cover had occasioned the fight.

The police had done a little research work meantime and discovered that some of the things Ts and Tsung had said about each other in the charge room were correct, including the facts that each had been three times convicted in the Mixed Court and both had been ordered to stay out of the Settlement. Taking these factors into consideration the Court jailed Ts for a year and Tsung for eighteen months and impressed upon them that after the expiration of those periods if either is found loose in the Municipal area they may expect something really grievous to befall them.

Obituary

MRS. P. P. LOWRY
(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, Dec. 20.—Mrs. P. P. Lowry, the wife of Lieutenant Lowry of the United States army, died of pneumonia at the French Hospital here today.

British Admiralty Knew German Fleet Was Starting

(Continued from Page 1)

previously reported, nearer 7:15, which was the crisis of the battle. Admiral Jellicoe's order to the battle squadron was telegraphed at 8:10. Admiral Beatty was meanwhile pushing ahead in order to keep touch with the enemy fleet, but only saw them at rare intervals, and finally lost touch at 8:40.

It appears that, after Admiral Jellicoe decided not to engage the capital ships in a night action, his flotilla leader signalled that he had sighted the enemy's battleships, but this signal was not received by the Iron Duke, owing to wireless interference, and Scheer escaped.

The papers do not include any summing up by the Admiralty.

PRESS COMMENT

London, Dec. 18.—The naval experts, commenting on the Jutland despatches in today's papers, regard them as too voluminous and technical to enlighten the public in regard to the so-called "Jutland controversy," which is likely to remain unsettled.

The papers are unanimous in declaring that Admiral Jellicoe has vindicated himself, as the despatches show that the battle was fought in accordance with his tactics, as approved by the Admiralty in 1914, including as part of the accepted battle plan the famous "turn away" of the battle fleet, for which Admiral Jellicoe has been blamed.

What concerns the critics most is the disquieting disclosure of the superiority of the Germans in a number of points, and our unpreparedness to deal with German skill in employing mines, submarines and torpedoes.

Further, it is pointed out that there has never been a discussion in Parliament on this most important aspect of the Jutland battle, and it is insisted that the inquiry now being conducted by the Imperial Defence Committee must consider future naval policy in this respect.

Mr. Marcel Olivier Is Expected Sunday

Mr. Marcel Olivier, head of Messrs. Olivier and Company, will arrive in Shanghai next Sunday, on the Sicilia, accompanied by Madame Olivier. Mr. Olivier comes to the Far East for an inspection of the offices of his company after spending some time in the United States. He is now in Japan, having arrived on the Empress of Russia. Mr. Olivier will remain in China until March when he leaves on the Empress of Asia for France via the United States. Mr. A. Charlot, general manager for China, is expected to arrive from Paris on December 29. Mr. Charlot was former manager of Olivier and Company at Tientsin.

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KIANGSU GETS $500,000 LOAN FROM SHANGHAI

18 Local Chinese Banks Make Advance; Changchow Tax Is Security

Arrangements for a loan of $500,000 were concluded by the Financial Commissioner of Kiangsu, Yen Mung-fang, with the local Chinese banks yesterday. The security offered is the taxes of the magistracy of Changchow. Interest is to be calculated at 1.8 percent per month, while the term of the loan is four months, redeemable by the end of the second moon of the next Chinese year.

The local banks which advanced the money are the Bank of China, $100,000; Bank of Communications, $100,000; Kiangsu Bank, $50,000; the Commercial Bank of China, $20,000; the Salt Industrial Bank, $25,000; the Ching Ching Bank, $25,000; the National Commercial Bank, $25,000; Chung Foo Union Bank, $25,000; the Dah Lu Bank, $25,000; Tung Lai Bank, $25,000; Chung Hui Bank, $10,000; Ningpo Bank, $10,000; Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank, Ltd., $10,000; Chung Hwa Bank, $10,000; Tung Lu Bank, $10,000; Chen Li Bank $10,000; Hwa Dah Bank, $10,000, and Young Brothers Banking Corporation, $10,000.

Negotiations were conducted personally by Yen and Messrs. Sun Han-chang, manager of the Bank of China; Y. M. Chien, of the Bank of Communications, and Hung Yen-ping.

The Banks of China and Communications will supervise the receipt of the taxes of Changchow during the four months when the loan is in force.

MANY TO ATTEND DINNER IN HONOR OF F. W. STEVENS

Function To Be Held For Consortium Man At Astor Tomorrow

Reservations for the dinner to be given tomorrow night at the Astor House to Mr. Frederick W. Stevens, resident representative of the American banks in the Consortium, are coming in fast and those who intend being present are urged to lose no time in sending in their requests for places. The dinner is being given by the American Chamber of Commerce, American Association of China and the Far Eastern American Bar Association. Those desiring reservations should apply at once to Mr. W. A. Chapman, secretary of the American Chamber of Commerce.

Mrs. Stevens is to be entertained the same evening at the Palace Hotel by the American Woman's Club.

Mr. and Mrs. Stevens are expected to arrive in Shanghai tomorrow morning by the Iyo Maru, coming from Japan, where the bank representative has spent some little time conferring with the Japanese Consortium bank representatives. He was entertained by prominent Japanese financial representatives while in Tokio.

Mr. Stevens expects to spend several days here, and will be entertained by various Chinese and American bodies, after which he will leave for Peking.

Turkish Delegate Grateful To France

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, Dec. 21.—According to a report from Constantinople to the Temps, Nabi Bey, head of the Turkish delegation to France, stated before leaving that France had done more for Turkey than any other nation and that the Turkish people would never forget that any help which they had received in their present distress came from France.

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First National Christian Conference Is Postponed

The National Christian Conference which was called to meet in Shanghai in May of next year has been postponed till April 1922. This action was taken at a recent meeting of the committee on arrangements for the conference.

This Committee, of which Bishop F. R. Graves is chairman, is composed of thirty representative missionaries and Chinese Christian leaders. It was appointed in May last at the annual meeting of the China Continuation Committee, and for several months has been making preliminary arrangements for this first great joint conference of Chinese and missionaries representing all of the co-operating churches in China.

NOT SUFFICIENT TIME

As plans have progressed it has become increasingly clear that the time allowed was too short to make adequate preparation for so important a gathering. The survey of Christian work in China, upon which the survey committee of the China Continuation Committee has been engaged for the past eighteen months can hardly be published in Chinese and in English before May of next year.

This work is the most thorough going study of its kind that has ever been attempted in any country of Asia and the results will be set forth in a quarto volume of about 450 pages. It will provide material for a fresh study of the Christian Movement in China and it will require some months before the bearing of the facts on the present aims and policies of the missionary societies can be fully appreciated. It is bound to raise questions of a very fundamental character.

FAMINE ANOTHER CAUSE

Another reason leading to the postponement of the conference is the famine in North China and the heavy demands it is already making and will continue to make until May of next year on the missionary body not only of the affected area, where little else can be thought of, but of other parts of Mandarin speaking China as well.

The change in the date of the conference will make possible sectional conferences in different parts of China. Such gatherings were found to be of great value in 1913, and it is believed that they are even more desirable in connection with the forthcoming Conference when a definite effort will be made to acquaint the entire constituency of each of the co-operating churches with the more important facts regarding the work of all, and to present in broad outline some of the more fundamental questions involved in any thoroughgoing attempts to develop a truly indigenous Christianity in China.

PREPARE FOR CONFERENCE

A cablegram received a few days ago from the Conference of Missionary Societies of North America gives hope that the postponement of the conference will lead to a more representative group of secretaries from these societies and those in Great Britain and the continent being present. This is desirable, for their co-operation is essential to the prompt carrying out of any program the conference may propose.

The committee on arrangements expects to continue active preparations for the conference from now until the time of meeting in the confident expectation that this gathering will mark the beginning of a new stage in the development of Christian work in China.

TOKIO ISSUES DENIAL

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Tokio, Dec. 21.—A Seoul despatch quotes an official denial of the Kirin report that the Japanese detachment at Lutaokow was defeated by a Korean force on December 13. The denial states that there is no Korean force remaining in that region and asserts that the reported engagement was consequently merely Korean propaganda.

French Papers Echo Words Of Premier

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, Dec. 18.—The papers here, in commenting on the Premier's declarations before the Chamber of Deputies yesterday, express the opinion that uneasiness as to the possibility of a German aggressive move in the near future is now dispelled, and the senselessness of assertions representing France as permeated with imperialism and militarism once more well established.

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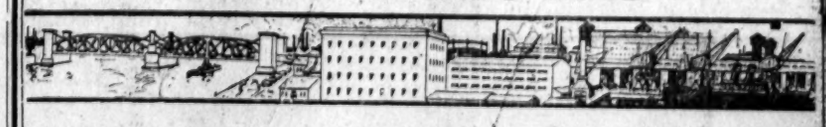
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HOLD DRAWING TO ELIMINATE 170 BROTHELS

Proceedings At Town Hall Cut Down Settlement Resorts By Twenty Percent

Several hundred licensees of brothels got a shock yesterday afternoon at the Town Hall when the drawing started for the elimination of twenty percent of the resorts in the International Settlement.

For a moment it looked as though the drawing was going to make a clean sweep of every brothel on the license lists.

The proceedings had started and some three numbers had been drawn and announced when something went agley with the nether-structure of the big copper globe containing the fateful pellets and the whole collection of these poured out onto the platform, bouncing down into the crowd to the accompaniment of a symposium of probably all the exclamations in the Chinese language.

After a short delay a new set of the numbered pellets was forthcoming and the work continued.

Yesterday's drawing brought notice to quit to 170 brothels. The number originally listed was 884 but since the list was compiled 14 places have gone out of business for various reasons and the numbers were taken out of the drawing. Those specified will continue to operate until April, when the licenses will expire.

Present at the proceedings were Mr. Sterling Fessenden, Chairman of the Watch Committee of the Municipal Council, Mr. N. O. Liddell, secretary and Mr. Benbow-Rowe, assistant secretary of the Council, Commissioner of Police K. J. McEuen, Judge Skinner Turner, Mr Parker, several members of the Moral Welfare Committee and a few others.

The licensees and their representatives present numbered about 300, the division of men and women being about equal. At the outset they were addressed by Mr. Parker, who explained the process of the drawing in Chinese and later repeated the numbers in Chinese as they were taken from the drum.

Chapei Protesting Inadequate Service Of Water And Light

Residents of Chapei are making determined protest regarding the inadequacy of water and electricity service in that district.

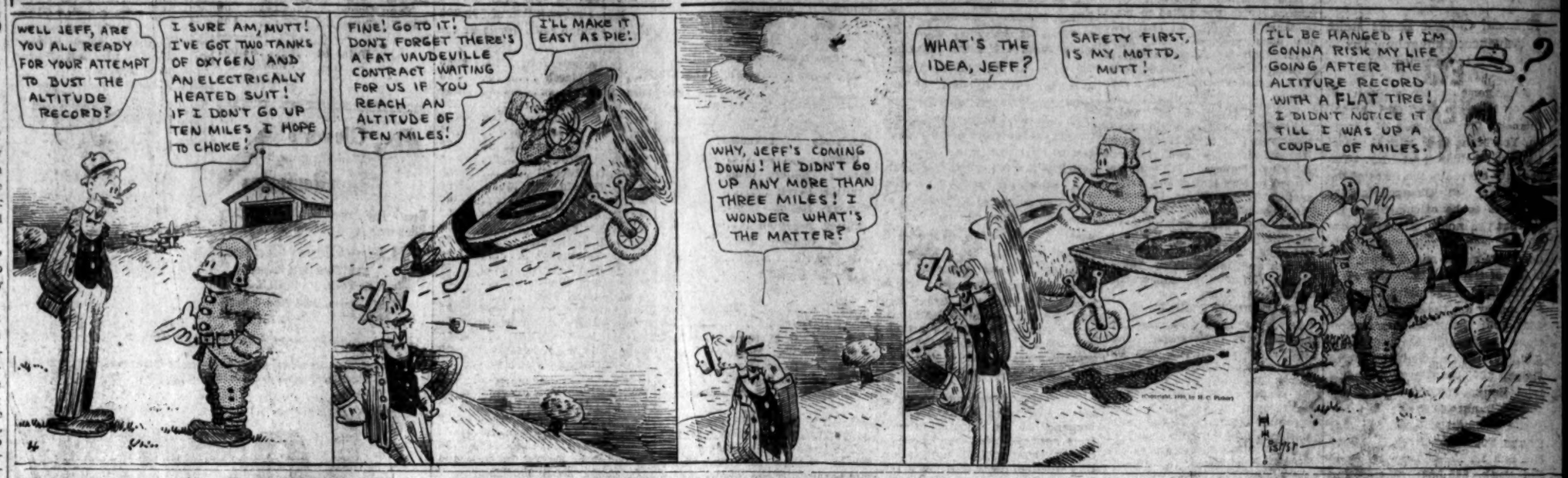
Telegrams complaining about the service and asking that steps be taken to remedy the matter have been sent to the Provincial Assembly, the Civil Governor and the Industrial Commissioner by a group of seventeen Chapei organisations, including the Chapei fire brigade. They urge some immediate action in view of the approach of colder weather.

Foreigner Is Given Two Months In Jail

A sentence of two months' imprisonment was imposed in the Mixed Court yesterday by Assessor Tenney and Magistrate Loh upon Basil Kehaoglon, the citizen of indeterminate nationality who was arrested for trying to travel on a Canadian Pacific liner with a ticket which had been stolen from a guest at the Astor House.

Kehaoglon claimed to be a Greek and is believed to be a Russian but neither the French nor the Russian authorities would recognise him, the former officials stating that they believed his passports had been stolen or altered.

MUTT & JEFF — Maybe Jeff Figured He Might Skid On The Clouds — By Bud Fisher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WHY, JEFF'S COMING DOWN! HE DIDN'T GO UP ANY MORE THAN THREE MILES! I WONDER WHAT'S THE MATTER?
WHAT'S THE IDEA, JEFF?
SAFETY FIRST, IS MY MOTTO, MUTT!
I'LL BE HANGED IF I'M GONNA RISK MY LIFE GOING AFTER THE ALTITURE RECORD WITH A FLAT TIRE! I DIDN'T NOTICE IT TILL I WAS UP A COUPLE OF MILES.
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Fisher

News Brevities

An interim dividend of $3 per share has been declared by the directors of the Shanghai Hotels, Ltd., payable on Friday.

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Mr. Feng Zung, the new Magistrate of the Paoshan district has assumed office. He called on the Defense Commissioner, the Shanghai Taoyin and the Commissioner of Foreign Affairs on Sunday.

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Twenty-five men, refugees from the famine districts, have arrived in Shanghai from Hsuen Hsien, Chihli, by boat. They are being cared for at the Dong Zung Benevolent Institute.

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The Zwaardemaker's East Asiatic Trading Company, Amsterdam, Holland, announces the establishment of a Shanghai branch at 9 Hankow Road, which has been registered with the local Dutch Consulate. Mr. R. van Alberda will be manager of the local branch and Mr. W. Bos will sign per procuration on behalf of the company.

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The Chinese pilots of the Yangtsze steamers have organised and established headquarters at 284 North Szechuen Road. The association has been registered with the Ministry of Communications.

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A settlement has been reached between C.P.O.S. and the Canadian authorities, and the public may again look forward to receiving their mails from Canada, etc., regularly by Empress liners.

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Dr. S. A. Ransom announces the removal of his office to 2A Kiukiang Road on the fourth flat. His consulting hours are 3-4 p.m.

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Five or six men armed with sticks entered a shop on Woosung Road at about 7 o'clock last night, held up the inmates and got away with a wheelbarrow and some clothing.

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Mrs. C. Neville Rolfe, general secretary of the National Council for combating venereal disease, will speak on the economic Phase of Venereal Diseases tonight at 8 o'clock at the Y.M.C.A. The meeting is open to the public.

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It is reported that a two-funnelled steamer of about 4,000 tons which is said to be of Russian nationality, loaded at Kauchow, near Macao, about 800 Chinese laborers for Habana, Cuba. It is said that owing to the refusal of the Hongkong Government to grant emigrant passports for the Chinese laborers, they were transferred to Macao from the Colony and then sent aboard.

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The West River is quiet and traffic safe, according to the Chief of Water Police. There are now 35 river gunboats or patrol launches going up and down the river protecting trading junks. Because of this, inland traders have gone ahead ordering New Year goods. The most popular goods now going up the River, are sea food of all sorts, dried vegetables, colored paper for decorating purposes, native clothes, and some foreign goods.

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News of the death of Mr. Herbert J. MacCarthy, who has been travelling in Japan as a representative of F. Stearns and Co., of Detroit, is reported from Kobe. Mr. MacCarthy's death occurred in Osaka where he was taken ill with meningitis on December 9. Funeral services were held at Kasugano on December 12 and were conducted by the Rev. Walter Naish.

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Mr. Jas. Boyd, of the Chartered Bank Hongkong is to be married shortly to Miss Mabel Shires, who is coming out by the Glentara. Other approaching weddings in Hongkong are Mr. W. B. Lightburn, engineer of the Asiatic Petroleum Company at North Point, to Miss Annie Elizabeth Hawkins, of 4 Century Crescent, Kennedy Road; Lt. G. C. Pelly, H. M. S. Carlisle, to Miss C. M. Glazebrook, of Manila; Mr. A. M. Lindsley, engineer on s.s. Chak Sang, to Miss M. M. Williams, daughter of Mr. W. J. Williams; Mr. G. T. Byrne, Professor of Chemistry at Hongkong University, to Miss Ethel Reynolds, en route from England by s.s. Kumano Maru.

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Hongkongites can, if they wish, now be cremated. The Japanese crematory at Sookunpoo Valley, which has hitherto been confined to the use of Japanese only, is to be open to foreigners under the following conditions.—(1) The present equipment of the crematory cannot be changed; (2) Old Japanese should be given preference; and (3) The fee for one use will be $75 in Hongkong currency. The concession was granted by the Japanese in consequence of an application from the Hongkong Government.

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The construction of the Canton Tramway will begin soon, according to those in authority. The $3,500,000 capital desired is almost fully subscribed; and some $600,000 worth of material has been ordered. Judge Peter Hing, the manager of the company, who has been in America the last few months in the interests of the Company, has returned to Canton and is busy planning for an early commencement.

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The Canton teachers will go on strike, it is said, unless the Commissioner of Finance of Kwangtung pays them in silver and not in the depreciated banknotes of the Bank of China.

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Three Chinese were fined $21,000 for smuggling opium into Penang from India on December 13.

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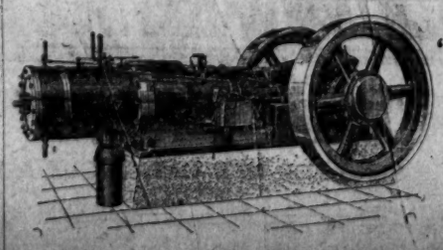

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COLLEGE TEAMS BATTLE TODAY FOR EAST CHINA CHAMPIONSHIP; NANYANG FIGHTING ST. JOHN'S

Undefeated Leaders In Intercollegiate Series Play At Markham Road; Game Starts At 2 p.m., Special Trains Run From Shanghai For College Rooters

The heavier Nanyang College football team will meet the faster St. John's University eleven at the Markham Road ground this afternoon at 2 o'clock for the championship of the East China Intercollegiate Athletic Association. Upwards of 3,000 people are expected to watch the two colleges fight for the title—two elevens that have fought one another to tie scores twice this season. There is little to choose between the teams. The victory will go to the eleven that has the staying power. As far as playing quality and ability goes, it is an actual toss-up.

Nanyang has the edge as far as the backs are concerned, St. John's forwards and goal keeper are admittedly superior. The halfbacks are as evenly matched as could be.

Both elevens are well coached by men who know the game and, better, know how to handle men. Alec Leslie has trained Nanyang for seven years with success and Willie Clifford has looked after St. John's teams for four years, turning out excellent elevens.

The two well-known coaches are responsible for much interest in the game and a big crowd will journey out from Shanghai this afternoon.

SPECIAL TRAINS RUN

From downtown the field is reached by tram or motor car. Go along Carter Road to Markham Road. Then across Markham Road Bridge, turn to the right and walk three minutes.

A special train will leave Shanghai North Station at 12:30 p.m., returning after the game. The college rooters will also travel by special train, leaving Siccawei Station at 1:15 p.m. and Jessfield Station five minutes later.

The crowd of collegians will be an attraction to many foreigners. Grouped on the East side will be the St. John's cheering section, with their school yells and songs, and opposite will be grouped the Nanyang crowd. Both colleges have trained yell leaders.

BOTH TEAMS CONFIDENT

Both sides are confident of victory this afternoon but to pick a winner is impossible. Nanyang outplayed St. John's in the first games between the two this year and St. John's played Nanyang to a standstill in the second.

In four years the teams have staged some great battles. In 1916 St. John's were beaten 2-1 and 1-0, coming back in 1917 with 2-0 and 1-0 victories. Nanyang won both games by a 1-0 score in 1918. In 1918, after the teams had played a 1-1 tie, Nanyang won a second game by a score of 3-1 and this year the teams have twice tied at 1-1. In four years Nanyang has scored 11 goals to the St. John's total of eight.

ARE UNDEFEATED

Neither team has met defeat this year. St. John's has won all intercollegiate games except the two with Nanyang, have thrice tied the Police, tied the Recs once and defeated the Municipal Electricity Department eleven. Nanyang has confined its activities to East China Intercollegiate games, winning all except the two with St. John's.

Today's game will be handled by competent officials. Mr. Fulton is to referee and the linesemen will be Messrs. Underwood and Kerr.

The following is a summary of the East China series for 1920:

THE TEAM RECORDS

Nanyang has scored a total of 18 goals, Shanghai College 14, and St. John's 13. These schools each played five games. Soochow scored nine in six games; Fuhtan seven, in four games; Nanking three in four games; Government Teacher's College one in three games.

The standing of the different teams in the league makes it very apparent that whoever wins the game between St. John's and Nanyang to be played today on the Markham Road field has a clear title to Championship.

Fuhtan was to have played Shanghai College but rain interfered and Fuhtan could not arrange for a second date. Nanking and Government Teacher's College have yet to report. Undoubtedly Nanking will win which will give Nanking fifth place in the league. Fuhtan and Shanghai College not playing, makes Fuhtan and Soochow tie for third place.

Government Teacher's College is last in the league. This is their first season in the E.C.I.A.A. and considering some of the difficulties under which they worked, they have done well. The boys have played clean and hard football straight through, though they knew that they were out-classed.

Shanghai College is low in the list, yet it must not be forgotten that she is second in the number of goals scored. Nanyang leading with 18 and Shanghai College fol-

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TODAY'S LINEUPS

Nanyang.—George Chow, goal; C. L. Chien, K. C. Shen full backs; H. C. Yeh, N. L. Chang, C.Y. Liang, half backs; Z. K. Ting, D. S. Li, Swan Ning, Y. Cheng, Y. T. Tu, forward.

St. John's.—Tyau Chung-hwe, goal; Z. Dung-hwe, Tsang Foh-sing, full backs; Mo Tuh-tha, Yang Kyung-hwe, Lien Zien-hwe, half backs; Nyien Zeu-khaung (Capt.), Mung Chung-dung, Daung Ung-ling, Zung Khaung-eu, Zung Tzoong-yien, forwards.

Referee—Mr. Fulton.

Linesmen—Messrs. Underwood and Kerr.

Kickoff—2 p.m.

STANDING OF THE TEAMS

	Won	Tied	Lost	Pct.
Nanyang	3	2	0	1.000
St. John's	3	2	0	1.000
Soochow	3	0	2	.500
Fuhtan	2	0	2	.500
Shanghai	1	0	4	.200
Nanking	1	0	3	.250
Hangchow	0	0	3	.000

Boxing Day Match For Local Charity Promises Thrills

Two Strong Teams To Take Field In Tilt For Engineers' Cup

The Shanghai General Hospital is to be the beneficiary of the annual Engineers' Boxing Day charity football match this year and two of the strongest teams capable of being selected in the city will fight it out for the delectation of the crowd.

The elevens will be captained by the redoutable Messrs. Forshaw and Quayle and the line-ups will include the following:

Mr. Forshaw's XI—A. McLean; P. Oliveros, G. F. Forshaw; W. J. Brown, E. Mears, M. Seredkin; A. V. White, T. S. D. Wade, A. Sofoulis, W. Conicher and W. T. Manley.

Mr. Quayle's XI—A. Remedios; B. H. Smith, J. A. Quayle; J. Clissold, J. Robertson, A. Davis; F. Guttierrez, T. W. R. Wilson, W. W. Kay, W. Ogden and A. H. Leslie.

Mr. W. T. Bissett has been named as referee and Messrs. Fulton and Gabbutt will officiate on the lines. The game is to be played on the S.R.C. ground, at the Race course and the kick-off will be at 2:45 p.m.

Tickets are $1.

Australians Get Good Lead In Test

(*Reuter's Service*)

Sydney, Dec. 20.—In the third day of the test match, the Australians, whose score stood at 46 for no wickets when play was adjourned on Saturday, carried their second innings total to 332 for five wickets before the close of play. The principal scorers were Collins, 104; Macartney, 69; and Taylor, 51.

Follow Paris message sent you this afternoon in P. 8:

Woman Sets World's High Jump Record

Caen (Normandy), November 15.—Mademoiselle Elise Constant of the Caen Gymnastic Society cleared the bar at one meter and forty-two-centimeters (about 4 feet 6½ inches) at the Cormelles Stadium yesterday. The performance was under the control of the Athletic Commission of Lower Normandy. The French claim this is a world's record for the woman's high jump.

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NO EXCUSE FOR WILLARD MATCH WITH DEMPSEY

Jess Would Be Twice As Bad In Another Bout As At Toledo

Well wishers of the boxing game are already regretting the announcement that Jack Dempsey has agreed to a return match with Jess Willard in advance of his Carpentier bout. There is absolutely no public demand for such a bout. Rather, sentiment is dead opposed to it.

If Jess Willard had no chance to win from Dempsey a year ago on the Fourth of July, he has a thousand times less hope for a bout early next year. Dempsey might have won from Willard at his best, but what beat the Kansan so handily was the fact that he hadn't been in the ring for a matter of several years. That was why Willard made such a sorry showing and was knocked out, with no chance to prove himself.

If it was so at Toledo, why wouldn't it be the same story—only worse—a year and a half later?

Willard has done no boxing in competition, though they say he has kept himself in fairly good shape. But any one who knows the fight game knows that sort of conditioning does not mean much to a fighter.

In the very nature of things it can be nothing more than a joke match. Dempsey's friends argue that he must fight such bouts or not fight at all. It's his misfortune that he is lacking in rivals, but he shouldn't pass his misfortunes along to the world at large.

Yankees Get Reward For Finishing Third

The New York Yankees' office received from the National Commission (or what is left of it) checks in settlement of that club's share in the recent World's Series as a reward for finishing third in the championship race of 1920.

There will be no chance for the Yankees to go on strike next spring, as they threatened to do last, in pique over the allotment of the prize money. It was the commission which made the division this time. Individual checks were mailed to Yankee headquarters with the request that they be forwarded to the winter homes of the players.

Public School And Columbia Win In Basketball Games

Schoolboys Win From Reds While Country Club, Aided By Penalties, Shades Whites

Two bang-up games of basketball, characterised by close-cropped victories for the Columbia Country Club and Public School quintets, were played last night at the Y.M.C.A. gymnasium and the crowd that turned out was certainly rewarded. The schoolboys won from the Reds by a score of 27 to 25, a one-basket margin, while the Columbia Country Club, aided by Whites' fouls, came through, 24 to 18.

The Columbians should have been beaten and had it not been for the number of fouls called on the Whites, the latter crew would have walked away with the victory. In the last period Kelhofer, the right guard, and Cowles, the left forward, were chased from the game after four personal fouls had been called and the Whites struggled home with three men, first losing the lead and then the game.

The game was featured by the the number of fouls. Anderson, center for the Whites, committed three—one less than the farewell number—Gold was hooked for a like number; two each were called on R. B. Nichols and W. A. B. Nichols, and the referee yelled "personal" at Smith and Marsden. Davis and Petitt were the only good boys out of ten on the floor.

At that only ten points were scored from the foul line, R. B. Nichols pocketing six, Kelhofer three before he left, and Petitt, Smith and Nichols were the big scorers.

Johansson was the star of the Public School victory overshadowing even the powerful Glauque. The lad was very fast and shot seven baskets from as many different angles. The team work of the Reds was beautiful to behold but they lacked the scoring punch.

More games like the brace staged last night will drive the Foreign League on a search for larger seating capacities. The teams are playing great basketball when full line-ups show.

The Summaries

Reds 25.—Meshorer lf, Gray rf, McCloy c, Roxburgh and Christy lg, Wilhoit rg.

Public School 27.—Levis lf, Johansson rf, Remedios c, Glauque lg, Caccia rg.

Goals from floor: Johannson 7; Glauque 3; Levis 2; Meshorer 3; Gray 4; McCloy 4; Roxburgh 1. Goals from fouls: Glauque 3; McCloy 1. Time—two 20 minute periods. Referee Percy Haskell. Timer—Embank. Scorer, Stayes.

C.C.C. 24.—R. B. Nichols lf, Smith rf, Marsden c, Gold lg, W. A. B. Nichols rg.

Whites 18.—Cowles lf, Petitt rf, Anderson c, Davis lg, Kelhofer rg.

Goals from floor: Smith 5; R. B. Nichols 4; Petitt 3; Cowles 2; Anderson 2. Goals from fouls: R. B. Nichols 6; Kelhofer 3; Petitt 1. Empire—McCloy. Time—two 20 minute periods. Referee Percy Haskell. Timer—Embanks. Scorer, Stayes.

FRENCH COLLEGE TEAM INVITED TO PENN RELAYS

University Of Paris Asked To Send Athletes To Annual Carnival Next April

Dr. George W. Orton, manager of the University of Pennsylvania relay carnival, announced that he had sent a formal invitation to the athletic director at the University of Paris inviting a French track team to compete in the big relay meet at Franklin Field next April.

Dr. Orton suggested that a complete team be sent, but should that prove impossible, he urged the French institution to send relay teams for the one and two mile events, particularly, and for any other events it wished to enter. It is the first time a French team has been invited to compete in the meet.

Informal invitations were extended the French athletes by Pennsylvania men when they were in Europe for the Olympic games, and Dr. Orton stated they were a unit in expressing a desire to come here for the relays.

Last year Cambridge and Oxford were represented at the meet by a combined relay team, and Oxford hung up a new world's record in the two-mile event. Dr. Orton said tonight that although it has not definitely been decided, he hoped the same team would return for the games next April.

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American Football Game Will See Cruiser Team Against Civilians; Over 20 Landsmen Express Willingness To Play And 12 More Are Needed

American football elevens representing Shanghai and the U.S.S. New Orleans will battle here on New Year's Day, it was definitely decided yesterday. Decision to postpone the match from Christmas Day was sensibly taken in order that both teams may get into some sort of shape to play. The sailors have already started to work and are holding strenuous practice sessions daily at Hongkew Park. The civilians are expected to hold a meeting tomorrow and the first practice will be early Friday morning.

Only about 20 men sent their names to H. E. Marsden of the Standard Oil Company yesterday and a dozen others are needed for the civilian squad. Of the number who reported that they would be on hand are several who wear college letters and others who could sport class numerals. The remainder have worn out lettered sweaters won on high school gridirons.

In the meantime the New Orleans eleven has been selected and the sailors have reached the scrimmaging stage. So it behooves the landsmen to get the w.k. move on if there is to be any sort of a contest.

PIPE DE COLLEGE GOIYS

Dick Luther and Dick Hutchinson of Washington State University, Hoddy Hotchkiss of Cascadilla, Frank McGrath of St. Anslem's, Rodger, C. N. Embank, H. F. Hewitt, Cy Wilhoit, Maloney of the B. A. T., Merrill of the United States Navy Pay Office, who is a pitcher, too; Hopkins, also of baseball fame; Charley Glauque, Oberlin star; Paul Chatom, Marsden, Kline, B. Hewitt, Gold and Anderson, the last named a center, have already signified their intention of playing and others are expected today.

Report to Marsden, all you ambitious ones and he will today give instructions as to a meeting which will be held tomorrow.

From the group we might figure Dick Hutchinson and Hotchkiss on the ends, Glauque and Chatom in the tackle positions, Marsden and McGrath or Dick Luther as guards, Anderson playing center and a backfield comprised of Cy Wilhoit, Rodger, Merrill and one or two others. A Rutgers varsity quarterback is in town and may be expected to be called into the fold today.

DURBIN ANSWERS CALL

Secretary Durbin of the Navy Y. M. C. A. has consented to look after the preliminary arrangements and Brad Crow will probably be named manager of the Shanghai team. Which means that Brad will immediately resign. If he has the time he is certainly the man for the berth as he did effective work two years ago last Summer while handling baseball here. And when he was in Tientsin he was captain of the Tientsin baseballers, sharing administrative honors with Mike Kampf.

And here in the middle of the story, even before we say much about the Navy eleven, a little suggestion is interjected. Sell tags for the game and give the proceeds to the Women's Famine Relief Society if that is all right with the group of ladies who are working so hard to alleviate conditions in the North.

PERHAPS $2,000

Recently formed, the organisation has made rapid strides in the work which it has undertaken and it would be altogether fitting and proper for the 22 or more husky Americans, who are going to play on New Year's Day, to aid the ladies in their efforts.

Perhaps the ladies would become interested in preparing and selling the tags for the game or, better, some local business house might be glad to print an advertisement on one side and "admission to the game" on the other.

Let them be sold at a dollar a throw, tag everybody in sight and let those who so crave, journey to the Race Course. Perhaps we could raise a thousand or more dollars for the Women's Famine Relief Society. And five dollars will keep one Chinese alive two months, according to reports from the famine districts.

Prompt action must be taken, not only in the preparation of tags and selling arrangements in

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San Francisco Bars Future Prize Fights

Influx Of Lawless Characters Into Coast City Causes New Prohibition

San Francisco, December 16.—On account of the lawless elements that have flocked into the city to witness the recent prize-fighting, the Police Commissioners have prohibited further prize-fighting.

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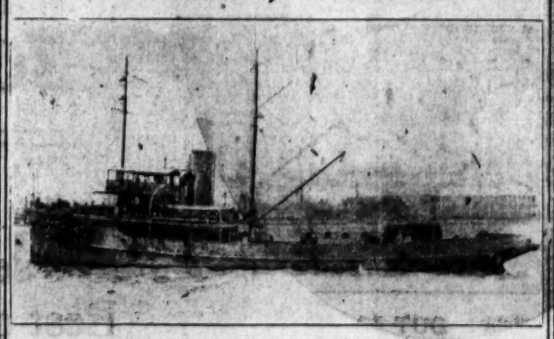

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Jen Kee Company, Plaintiff.
vs.
P. F. Wisner and Company, Defendant.
Causes Nos. 1109 and 1110.
Decision.
Filed December 21, 1920.

SYLLABUS

1. Sales: Delivery. A contract of sale in which the only specification as to delivery is "expected not later than January" places no limit on the time other than that of reasonableness.

2. Id: Id: Evidence examined and found insufficent to show a refusal by the vender to deliver after January but showing rather the vendee's refusal to accept at such time.

3. Id: Id: Rescission. Such refusal renders delivery unnecessary and justifies rescission.

4. Id: Id: Damages. For failure to deliver can not be awarded without evidence as to market price, opportunity of sale or other facts indicating loss of profits.

Messrs. A. M. Preston and Ferno J. Schuhl, for Plaintiff.

Messrs. Fessenden and Rose, by Mr. Fessenden, for Defendant.

LOBINGIER, J.

These two actions involve the same parties and were tried simultaneously. Each is brought to recover for the alleged breach of a contract of sale by defendant to plaintiff, who is a Chinese named Ngeong trading as Jen Kee Company. In Cause No. 1109 a written instrument was executed on November 29, 1919, calling for

> "50 tons indigo paste, marketable quality; shipment expected not later than January; price Taels 101 per picul ex-godown Shanghai."

Defendant's principal witness testifies that the word "expected" was used because he was unable to guarantee delivery and that plaintiff said if the consignment failed to arrive in January the whole matter could be re-opened.

Nevertheless plaintiff seems to have taken a different position very soon for, nine days after executing the instrument, he wrote defendant referring to them as "which goods had to arrive in Shanghai not later than January" and, at the trial, plaintiff testified (in English) that "expected means to arrive in Shanghai not later than that time." In other words plaintiff treated the contract as guaranteeing shipment in January, which it clearly did not, and his subsequent letters of December 22 and January 9 expressing willingness to accept same "so long as it will be in execution of our contract of November 29," consequently meant no more than an offer to accept delivery in January which, at the date of said letters, was known to be impossible.

REPLY OF DEFENDANT

Meanwhile, defendant had replied to plaintiff's first letter on December 10 pointing out that the arrival specified in the contract was only "expected," disclaiming liability and stating that it had offered plaintiff "our first receipts of this commodity" which would "unfortunately not reach here until February," that plaintiff had refused this and that consequently defendant considered the contract "cancelled." Plaintiff answered two days later denying that it had "refused to take delivery of the goods ordered by us . . . which were expected not later than January" and declining to agree to cancellation. But nowhere in the correspondence does plaintiff definitely indicate a willingness to take delivery after January, although on the 5th of that month defendant advised him

> "We must have your decision . . . as to whether you wish to accept this late delivery . . . before the 10th inst."

Defendant's position was that it could not risk a refusal by plaintiff and that unless he specifically agreed to accept delivery after January it would be justified in seeking a new purchaser. Nevertheless both of defendant's witnesses testify that the goods were subsequently offered plaintiff at the contract price and refused. Plaintiff denies this, but the preponderance is against him for defendant's witnesses are reputable business men whose interest is no greater than plaintiff's. It is true that defendant's principal witness admits asking more for another consignment arriving in May after the market price had risen and after the refusal; but the latter, once given, rendered delivery unnecessary and justified rescission.

We are unable, therefore, to find that plaintiff has proved his averment that defendant "refused to carry out their contract or deliver said goods." We must find rather that it supports defendant's averment that it was plaintiff who refused.

II.

In Cause No. 1110 the claim is for damages for the non-delivery of a quantity of dyes ordered by plaintiff from defendant on December 1, 1919. More than a year before that the parties had entered into a rather elaborate written contract by which the defendant agreed to sell dyes exclusively to plaintiff in certain provinces of China and plaintiff agreed to purchase them from defendant alone. The contract provided for cancellation by either party on three months' written notice. On December 27, plaintiff wrote defendant announcing that this provision for exclusive purchase and sale "is cancelled" and on January 5, defendant answered agreeing to the cancellation and notifying plaintiff that in consequence no more dyes would be furnished thereunder.

'WAS VESTED RIGHT'

Plaintiff's counsel contends that this mutual cancellation could not affect the purchase of December 1 because it was a vested right. Defendant's counsel, on the other hand, urges that said purchase was wholly dependent and conditional upon continuing the general agreement and that both necessarily fell together.

We need not stop to inquire which of these views is correct because, even if defendant committeed a technical breach by the failure to deliver after the mutual cancellation of the general agreement, we are unable to find sufficient evidence upon which to base a judgment for damages. Plaintiff testifies that these goods were never re-sold by him and that he made no attempt to buy similar goods elsewhere. Under such circumstances we cannot conjecture whether or not he would have made a profit had the goods been delivered.

Ordinarily the measure of damages for failure to deliver is the difference between the contract price and the market price at the specified place and time; but we have no evidence whatever as to what the latter price was. This leaves us without a basis for a judgment in plaintiff's favor even assuming that the mutual cancellation was ineffective as to the sale in question. In other words the case, under plaintiff's theory, is one of *injuria sine danno*.

It follows that we must find for defendant in both actions and it is accordingly considered and adjudged that plaintiff take nothing by his petitions and that defendant recover its costs.

By the Court.
CHARLES S. LOBINGIER.
Judge.

BOOK ON BRITISH UNIVERSITIES TO BE ISSUED HERE

Anglo-Chinese Educational Committee To Aid Students Studying In England

At a meeting of the Executive of the Anglo-Chinese Educational Committee held under the chairmanship of Mr. E. C. Pearce on Monday evening the question of publishing a handbook for the information of Chinese students proceeding to Great Britain was discussed, and it was decided to issue an edition of 2,000 copies without delay. Mr. H. B. Lobb, an assistant master at the Public School for Chinese, was requested by the committee to superintend the printing and publishing of the book, and it was decided to ask British and other firms to take advertising space and so help to meet the cost of publication.

The handbook, which has been carefully prepared by Miss E. G. Kemp, was to have been issued six or seven years ago, but financial and other difficulties stood in the way. Now the latest edition of the British Empire Universites Year Book has been sent out by Miss Kemp, and the handbook will be brought up to date and issued under the auspices of the Anglo-Chinese Educational Committee.

The Rev. Dr. J. Darroch, a member of the Executive Committee, will translate a summary of the book into Chinese, and Messrs. J. S. S. Cooper, Alex. Ting and G. S. Foster Kemp, members of the committee will also help to secure advertisements.

British and other companies desiring to take advertising space in the English edition of the handbook are asked to communicate with any of the above members of the committee, or direct with the Honorary Secretary, 35, Elgin Road, Shanghai.

430,000 Tons Of Shipping For France

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, Dec. 17.—The Cabinet met today under the presidency of M. Millerand. The Secretary of the Merchant Marine Department gave particulars of the negotiations with Great Britain respecting the merchantmen made over by Germany under the peace treaty. The negotiations have resulted in France receiving 430,000 tons of shipping.

Mixed Court Jottings

An inquest was held yesterday over the body of a Chinese carpenter who was beaten to death Monday night in a street fight on Boone Road. The man was taken to St. Luke's Hospital in a riesha but died on the way. The body was then brought back to a shop at 1821 Boone Road, said to have been the place where the fight began, and it was here that the police found it.

The well-to-do young man charged on a warrant issued at the request of the City authorities with poisoning his wife was dismissed when the case came up again in the Mixed Court yesterday. The father of the dead bride gave evidence which did not substantiate the charge, stating that he had no suspicions at the time of her death and only became apprehensive later when he heard some rumors.

A young Chinese convicted of the forgery with a foreigner's name on checks of the American Oriental Bank was sentenced to two years' imprisonment and expulsion by the Mixed Court yesterday. The checks included one for $85, which was cashed by the bank, one for $30 covering a purchase in a Japanese shop and one for $270 which was held up at the bank when it was presented for payment. The latter check was presented by a coolie, who took the police to the accused. Mr. J. C. Clark, a secretary at the Y.M.C.A., whose name was used in the forgeries, gave evidence showing that the young man had previously been a member of the Y.M.C.A. and that he had some time ago forged a letter wherein it was intimated that the organisation would put up a guarantee of $1,000 toward securing him a position.

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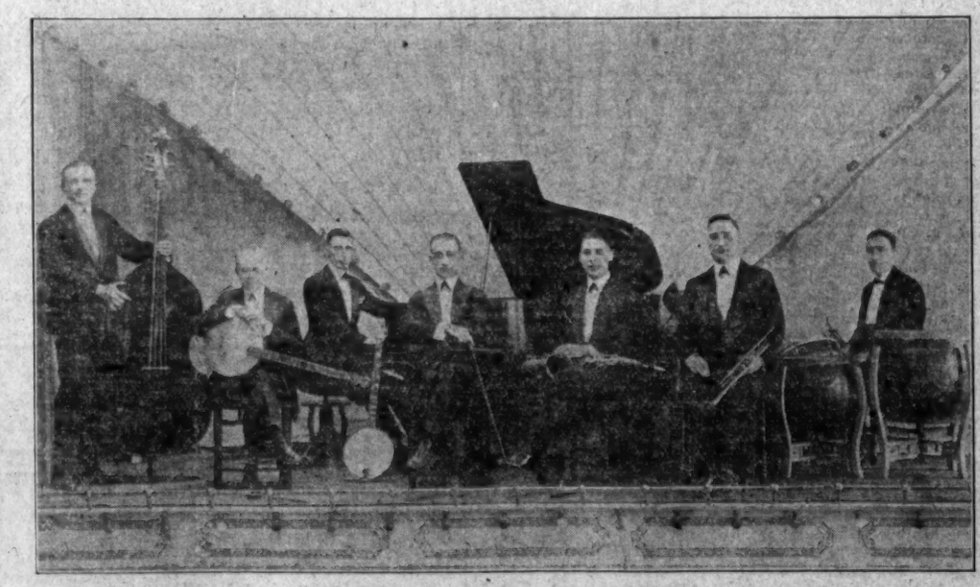

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Hongkong Business Men Pay Tribute To Retiring Chief Manager Of Bank

Mr. N. J. Stabb Guest Of Honor At Banquet Given By Prominent Chinese And British Residents.

(Reuter's Pacific Service)

Hongkong, Dec. 21.—Mr. N. J. Stabb, who is about to retire from the position of Chief Manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, was last night entertained at a banquet by a number of Chinese merchants and bankers. Sir Robert Ho Tung presided, and the company included the leading British and Chinese business men of the colony, including Mr. P. H. Holyoak, Mr. John Johnstone, Mr. H. E. Pollock, and the managers of Messrs. Butterfield and Swire and the foreign banks, together with Mr. A. G. Stephen, who is Mr. Stabb's successor.

The chairman proposed the toast of the evening in a speech which was frequently applauded. He said: "To my knowledge this is the second time within the history of the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation that the Chinese merchants and bankers have had the happy occasion of doing honor to the chief of this great institution. The first similar occasion was when the late Sir Thomas Jackson retired from Hongkong in 1902. Just as on that former occasion we are keenly conscious of our approaching loss of a genuine friend, and feel that we are bidding farewell to one who, ever kind and considerate, was always ready to give his best in the furtherance of the commercial prosperity of the colony. In the same way as Sir Thomas Jackson is now enshrined in the hearts of Chinese merchants as a banking genius, so I venture to think, our honored guest this evening will occupy an abiding place in the memory of the Chinese mercantile community of Hongkong.

REVIEWS RECORD

"I have had the privilege of knowing Mr. Stabb for many years in business and out of business, and I only wish I could give adequate expression to my appreciation of his sterling qualities. On his worth as the successful manager of a great financial institution it is unnecessary for me to enlarge.

"As you know, another massive structure is being built as an annex to the stately pile so well known to Hongkong business men as the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, in order to provide accommodation for its ever-increasing business. And I would point to its solid pillars and granite walls as a symbol of the Bank's financial stability, and as an enduring monument of Mr. Stabb's management, conducted with such conspicuous ability and signal success.

"The great war has taught us many lessons, and not the least valuable one is the realisation of the marvellously delicate mechanism of national and international finance. A little vacillation; a little hesitancy; litttle doubt preventing prompt action when prompt action was demanded, during the early days of the world crisis in the fateful month of August, 1914, might have involved the Bank and the Colony in a financial catastrophe. It is true that you were not here at that time, but your advice was available to the Consulting Board in London, and at the Head Office you had the loyal co-operation of so capable a lieutenant as Mr. A. G. Stephen, who, I am glad to see, is with us tonight. I feel certain Mr. Stephen will prove equal to any of his predecessors. His business capacity has been proved by the very able manner in which he managed the important interests of the Bank at Shanghai during recent years.

RECALLS SPEECH

"I recall the speech of the chairman of the Hongkong Stock Exchange on Armistice Day, that the members of the Exchange had to deal in millions with the powerful assistance of your Bank at the outbreak of the war. Similarly, the financing of commercial transactions in Hongkong must have run into colossal figures. But the Colony happily emerged from that critical period without any disastrous results.

"It affords me pleasure to recall the King's recognition of your services in appointing you an officer of the Most Excellent Order of the British Empire—an honor which, I am sure, you will feel all the happier in enjoying in the association of Mrs. Stabb as a member of the same order.

"You are shortly to leave Hongkong. We are met here this evening to tender to you and to Mrs. Stabb our best wishes that in retirement in your homeland you will live in health and happiness and the enjoyment of all that makes life worth living, in the full consciousness that your duty has been well and truly done.

"Now, gentlemen, let us raise our glasses and drink to the health of Mr. Stabb."

Mr. Stabb, in expressing his thanks, said he knew that in the future development of Hongkong its Chinese bankers, merchants and community generally would play a large and important part. Mr. P. H. Holyoak, in replying to the toast to the other guests, welcomed the opportunity of meeting his Chinese friends in a common cause. These friendly meetings, he said, led to deeper and more profound understanding, which would inevitably draw the two peoples closer together in the future.

SAILS FOR U.S.

Mr. Stabb will leave for England, by way of the United States, on December 29, sailing on the Colombia of the Pacific Mail for San Francisco.

Mr. Stabb's retirement brings to a close 34 years of service with the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, 30 of which have been spent in the East. He joined the bank in 1886, being connected first with the office in New York, where he remained for several years. In 1891 he was sent to Bombay.

After a stay in Bombay, he came to the Far East to positions in Singapore, Shanghai, Saigon, and Hongkong. He went to Hongkong in 1903, remaining several years. In 1909, he came again as Sub-Manager, and has been there ever since with the exception of the period spenteen leave. He was appointed acting chief manager in July, 1910, and chief manager in January of the following year.

Mr. Stabb will be succeeded as Chief Manager by Mr. A. G. Stephen, manager of the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank in Shanghai. Mr. Stephen was in charge of the bank in Hongkong for four or five months at the outbreak of the war, during the absence of Mr. Stabb, and has a wide acquaintance in Hongkong.

Spanish Elections Pass Off Quietly

(French Wireless)

Paris, Dec. 20.—The elections to the Spanish Cortes have passed off without incident. At Barcelona the Republican-Radical party gained 13,000 votes and two seats. The Monarchist party obtained 3,000 votes.

At Madrid The Monarchists have been returned by a large majority.

London, Dec. 20.—Representatives of the great powers in Madrid, led by Colonel J. E. Willard, the United States Ambassador have prepared a message to the Spanish Government to the effect that they view with disfavor the attempts of certain elements in the Cortes to strangle foreign enterprises in Spain through high taxation and other means.

League Assembly Praised As Sittings Come To End

French Academy Member Calls Progress Gratifying And Sees Better World Relations

(Reuter's Service)

Geneva, Dec. 20.—At the final sitting of the Assembly of the League of Nations, M. Gabriel Hanotaux, member of the French Academy, declared:

"Our task was a considerable and difficult one. It was no less than to reconcile nationalism with internationalism, and it is gratifying that such excellent progress has been made by the Assembly. The achievement of the Assembly has been to adapt the treaty conventions to the present international situation. That is why one cannot without injustice put a slight upon the technical organisations that we have set up, and by which we shall attain improved relations among the peoples, without in any way infringing the liberty of their Governments.

GREAT WORLD PARLIAMENT

"When I consider what has been done at Geneva in the course of five weeks, I ask myself whether any Parliament in the world would have got through so much work. We have disposed of three quarters of the problems and simplified others, while as for the admission of States, which appeared to present such difficulties, we have come to agreement with them without having gone beyond the limits of sound prudence."

Geneva, Dec. 15.—At the final sitting of the League Assembly, Mr. Foster (Canada) stated that the cost of the anti-typhus campaign in Eastern Europe was estimated at two million francs.

A motion advocating co-operation with the International Red Cross and the Committee for the Relief of War-Stricken Children, was adopted.

A resolution in favor of the adoption of Esperanto as the official language of the League was shelved.

DELEGATES ENTERTAINED

Geneva, Dec. 20.—The foreign delegates attending the League of Nations Assembly were entertained yesterday at a luncheon at Geneva by the Colombian delegation. Following a speech by M. Motta, the Swiss President, M. Viviani recalled the manifold reasons why France and the two Americas should remain in close union. Turning to the future of the League of Nations, M. Viviani declared his profound faith in the destiny of that "young institution."

The French delegation left Geneva today on its return to Paris.

Paris, Dec. 20.—The Colombian Foreign Minister has denied the report that his delegation would take up the same attitude towards the League of Nations that the Argentine delegation has done.

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Embassy Informs State Department Adriatic Dispute Has Been Settled

CONCESSION BY BOTH SIDES

Italy Gets Territory To East Of Wilson Line, But Gives Up Most Dalmatian Claims

Washington, Nov. 11.—Giuseppe Brambilla, Charge d'Affaires of the Italian Embassy, today informed Secretary of State Colby that a settlement had been reached directly between representatives of Italy and Jugo-Slavia of the long-standing Adriatic dispute, including the controversy over the proposed Istrian frontier between Italy and Jugo-Slavia, the Fiume tangle, and the differences over Dalmatia and certain islands along the east shore of the Adriatic.

The Italian Embassy received during the day a cable message from the Italian Foreign Minister stating that there had been a successful termination of the direct negotiations, involving compromises on both sides, in which Italy had yielded advantages and territory which she had been assured under the Treaty of London and in which the Kingdom of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes (Jugo-Slavia) had consented to a recession of important claims to territory to the westward of the Julian Alps, to some of the Adriatic islands, to Zara and a strip of land in Dalmatia.

Dr. Slavko Y. Grouitch, the Jugo-Slav Minister, had not been informed by his Government of the settlement and refrained from commenting except to say that he did not believe published reports that Italy had presented any ultimatum during the negotiations.

The account of the settlement which Charge d'Affaires Brambilla gave to the Secretary of State was oral and necessarily incomplete, but he has been informed that later and fuller advices are being transmitted to him by his Government.

THINK WILSON VINDICATED

Secretary Colby was conservative and noncommital when asked his attitude toward the settlement because of the incompleteness of the advices received. Unofficially it was the impression of members of the department that the principle enunciated by President Wilson was well vindicated. It is expected that Mr. Colby will make a formal statement after receiving complete official details of the reported settlement.

The information so far received did not indicate whether Albania's sovereignty was affected by the agreement, but in Italian and Servian circles it was believed that the independence and sovereignty of Albania was neither jeopardised nor prejudiced by the settlement.

The agreement as now understood here rejects the proposal made by President Wilson for a determination of the Fiume question on the basis of a buffer State of Fiume which would have thrown the Italian boundary line further to the westward and would have given the State of Fiume a preponderence of Jugo-Slav inhabitants. Although the frontiers of Fiume are not defined in the official advices received here, it is said they make the Italianity of the new State certain beyond question.

Italian spokesmen here do not hail the agreement as a notable diplomatic triumph for Italy. Jugo-Slavia could have obtained precisely the same terms two years ago, it was declared at the Embassy.

The cablegram to the Embassy announced that the Jugo-Slav Foreign Minister, M. Trumbitch, informed the Italian delegation yesterday that he accepted the agreement proposed by Italy, by which Italy was renouncing some of the claims in Dalmatia given to her by the Treaty of London, namely Sebenico, and most of the islands along the Dalmatian coast.

ITALY GIVES UP DALMATIA

Italy was to receive ninety miles of territory in Dalmatia by the Treaty of London, and thus resigns an extent of more than eighty miles. The Treaty of London gave Italy about twenty islands in the Adriatic of which Italy retains only a few. The exact data have not yet been received here.

The Jugo-Slavs give up permanently their claims to Fiume and territory to the west of Fiume.

The agreement makes possible the future union of Fiume with Italy, although the settlement postpones such a union at least some years, in the opinion of diplomats here.

Speculation upon the immediate effect of the settlement upon the government of Gabriele d'Annunzio at Fiume is regarded as premature, although it is expected to be greeted by Fiumans as a victory. It is thought very likely that d'Annunzio will come to an early understanding with the Italian Government and that all irregularities committed by d'Annunzio's followers will be overlooked by the authorities at Rome.

Italians here said today that the agreement, from a military point of view, is very satisfactory as it closes the doors to an attack upon Italy by land, but that in a naval sense it has serious defects, as it leaves Italy exposed to attack from the sea. The Dalmatian coast, it was asserted is naturally fortified, while the Italian coast cannot be fortified even artificially, a fact which was demonstrated in the World War. Retention by Italy, however, of Zara and of the islands of Cherso, Lussin and Lagosta goes a considerable way to correct the defenselessness of the Italian coast.

Zara, which goes to Italy, is the capital of old Dalmatia. It had a population of 32,506 souls in 1900. It is served by railroads from Croatia, Bosnia and Dalmatia. Five highways run into Zara. It has a deep water harbor and is a regular stopping place for coastwise shipping.

Sebenico, which goes to Jugo-Slavia, had a population of 24,251 souls in 1900. It is on the estuary of the Cikola River, and the harbor is three miles long with a deep channel up to the town. The city is served by two railroads, one from Dalmatia and the other from western Bosnia and four roads, including a ferry.

In addition, Jugo-Slavia has on the eastern coast of the Adriatic the large ports of Buccari, six miles south of Fiume; Segna and Novigrad on the Croatian coast; Spalato, Gravosa, Ragusa, Cattaro, and Antivari on the Dalmatian and Montenegrin coasts. These are the most important ports but Jugo-Slavia has in addition numerous ports scattered along the entire coast from Fiume to Zara, and from Spalato to Antivari, all being served by coast trading vessels.

JUGO-SLAVS NOT SATISFIED

While the Jugo-Slav legation refrained from commenting on the reported terms of settlement in the absence of official information from the Belgrade Government, a statement relative to the dispute was tonight obtained by The New York Times from an eminent Servian, thoroughly acquainted with the whole progress of the negotiations and who at one time had a part in some of the negotiations. He says:

"The problem of the Adriatic, as we see it today, was first posed in 1915 by Baron Sonnino, then Minister of Foreign Affairs in Italy, in the famous Treaty of London, by which Italy was accorded the Trentino, Trieste, Istria and a large part of Dalmatia. Baron Sonnino believed in the victory of the Allies by which Russia would be assured of great influence over the whole of the Balkans and on the Adriatic, through the Slav people inhabitating the eastern coast of that sea. Rightly or wrongly, Baron Sonnino forsaw a danger for the security of Italy in such a victory for the Allies and all his Adriatic policy was based on this 'pericolo Slavo' which might menace the future of Italy.

"The successor of Baron Sonnino could not make any great change and the Adriatic question remained open and has been further embroiled by the mediaeval exploits of Gabriele d'Annunzio.

"The official policy of Italy was still based on the necessity of assuring her security in the Adriatic and demanded a strategic frontier and strategic points belonging ethnographically to Jugo-Slavia. For these strategic considerations it was necessary to sacrifice 400,000 Jugo-Slavs. On the other hand the Italian nationalists called upon the Government to 'save their nationals living in Dalmatia from the Slav yoke.' Fiume and Zara, with an Italian population of a few thousands, were to be annexed by Italy or declared independent.

"During all this time Jugo-Slavia was never a contracting party with the same rights as the Italians. It was simply the victim fighting in self-defense. While the Italians were seeking to gain the greatest possible advantage, Jugo-Slavia was trying not to lose anything that could interfere with her national economic life. The life of a people cannot be arrested or changed by diplomatic combinations. A true and well-founded policy consists in having the skill to understand these currents and to adapt its aims to their tendencies, which are stronger than all forceful and mistaken arrangements.

"Will the pourparlers at San Margarita reach a sound and lasting solution of the question? I do not think so. The minds of those engaged in the negotiations have not been prepared for this. But if the Italian delegates have enough clearness of vision to establish a basis for a future settlement, which is inevitable, we may hail this as the first step toward a real and eminently desirable friendship betwen Italians and Jugo-Slavs."

U.S. WARSHIPS TO STAY

Washington, Nov. 17 (Associated Press).—Since the armistice the American Navy has maintained a fleet in Adriatic waters, part of it being assigned to patrol duty on the Eastern Adriatic shore under an agreement between the United States and the Allies. It is not expected that all of these ships will be withdrawn within the near future, as it has been explained at the Navy Department that until all problems affecting American citizens in that area had been settled it would be necessary to keep a naval force in the Adriatic.

The present American naval force in the Adriatic and Mediterranean seas consists of more than a score of ships, most of them destroyers of the newest type.

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Mrs. Thomas Leonard

Social circles in New York were astonished to learn that Miss Louise Q. Webb, prominent young society horse-woman, was secretly married to Thomas J. Leonard, a New York policeman. The society bride's wedding came as the culmination of a romance of the bridle paths of Central Park, Patrolman Leonard being an expert mounted man stationed in the Park. Mrs. Leonard has won dozens of blues and scores of red and white rosettes in horse shows.

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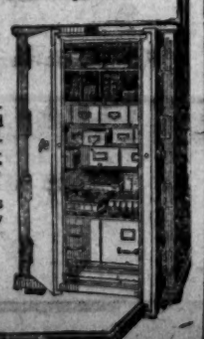

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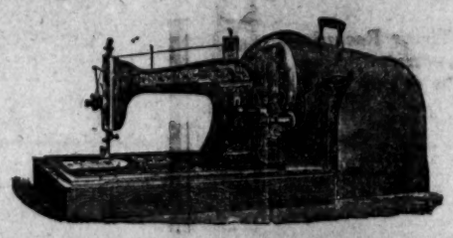

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DOES lack of sleep give the eyes a sunken or bulging appearance?—S. F.

Lack of sleep can and does interfere very seriously with the beauty of the eyes. When the eyes are tired it is a warning that you need rest. Woe betide the woman who disregards the signal. At least eight hours of sleep are essential. Anger, grief or worry will also have the effect of lowering the tone of the whole body, but the eyes will be the first to show it. The bulging eye is usually set in too deep a cushion of fat, consequently a simpler diet and more out-of-door exercise will be beneficial.

PLEASE tell me how to get rid of small pimples that break out continually on my forehead and chin. I am in perfect health and cannot see why I should be bothered with these blemishes.—TROUBLED.

Your skin may be especially susceptible to infectious germs, as a result of careless or improper cleansing. This will quickly cause those unsightly eruptions that are so great a source of annoyance to you. Or you may be using a soap that irritates your skin. Use only a pure soap and take particular pains to keep the skin absolutely free from all surface impurities. Watch your diet carefully also and eat only plain food, varied wholesomely by fresh fruits and vegetables. Below is given a simple healing lotion which should quickly eradicate those blemishes if applied every night before retiring:

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Precipitate of sulphur....1 dram
Tincture of camphor.....1 dram
Glycerine .....1 dram
Rosewater .....4 ounces

WHAT should I do for my hair? It is very thin and dry and a big bunch falls out every time I comb it.—A. V.

I advise you to rub olive oil thoroughly into your scalp and let it remain on for two or three hours. Then shampoo the hair with a mixture of lime water and egg in the proportion of half a pint of lime water to one raw egg well beaten together. Rub this into the scalp with the tips of the fingers and afterward rinse the hair many times in clear water until it is soft and fluffy. Do this at least once a week for six or eight weeks. By this time a decided improvement should be noticed in the general condition of your hair.

I AM a young woman and am too stout around the neck, shoulders and arms. Can you suggest a way of exercising in order to reduce, especially for the arms? —VICTORIA.

A most helpful exercise is to shrug the shoulders as high and as fast as possible, ceasing only when you become dizzy. For a stretching of all the muscles of the arms, the best exercise I know is the daily use of dumb-bells. Also you might try this: Clench the fists tightly, and raising the arms, with elbows unbent, above the head stretch the body to the greatest possible height. Another is to bend the elbows and push back the arms so that the forearms are on a level with the waist. With a gentle sawing movement move the elbows forward and back. This causes a rush of blood to the muscles surrounding the shoulders and banishes the fat cells.

Why Lovers Can't Help Quarreling

COURTSHIP and wooing are processes in love selection of universal interest and importance. From insects to man that is a realm of romance, says Walter M. Gallichan in "The Psychology of Marriage."

Among the civilized brides are not won by capture, and not invariably by barter, as in the case of primitive people. Courting becomes more complicated as man rises in the scale of evolution.

The successful suitor must possess tact and skill in an elaborate art. He must be able to prove his ardor and devotion to the woman he aspires to win. The natural timidity or prudence of the maiden must be overcome by adroit strategy. This coyness is instinctive and protective.

The passivity and the resistance of woman in love are biological facts. This semi-defensive attitude is quite natural, and not necessarily the outcome of sheer coquetry or affectation. Women of little or no experience of life and love recognize instinctively that consent is fraught with many disquieting possibilities of unhappiness unless they are deeply assured of the worth and the constancy of the wooer.

This self-preservative instinct which subserves the high interest of the race may take the form of curious caprice and even of repulsion. Often the ardently sought maiden is drawn this way and that by impulse and by counteracting emotions until, as we say, she "does not know her own heart." Geddes and Thomson state that in woman "it takes longer for the brain to be eroticized" than in man.

The emotional stress in courtship frequently reacts upon the nervous and cerebral system of both sexes and causes that high-strung condition which leads sometimes to lovers' quarrels. Most of us are somewhat unbalanced by a fervent passion, and some are temporarily insane, as poets declare.

This problem of a momentous decision is undoubtedly a cause of overstrain in many sensitive women. The resistance may be exaggerated, and they may display bewildering pique, acute jealousy, susceptibility to take offense, and a quarrelsome spirit.

These symptoms are common also among nervously constituted men. Many betrothals are broken through the misunderstandings wont to appear at this critical and exciting period.

Patience and tact are essential to the art of love. It matters not how enraptured and devoted the plighted lovers may be, there will be passing clouds before the sun, and maybe a storm or two will checker the days of wooing.

Both the man and woman should recognize that they are undergoing an experience that, since the world began, has always proved a mingled state of joy and torment. They should know that these keenly awakened, powerful emotions and desires inevitably influence the brain and the nerves.

Biologically speaking, courtship involves a state of highly aroused yearnings affecting the whole being. Not only is the mind involved, there are definite changes and manifestations in the physical system and a tremendous interaction of forces that may have been previously quite dormant.

This is nature's way with all her children. "Love's pleasing pains" are the result of a great physiological and psychic activity, which science has described as "the state of tumescence."

Household Helps

Salting Flatirons.

RUB rusty flatirons first with beeswax and then with coarse, dry salt.

Egg-Stained Linen.

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Cleaning Railings.

IRON railings can be kept clean with little work by rubbing them every morning with a paraffin rag.

Toasted Coffee.

COFFEE is much better if the grains are placed in a hot oven for two or three minutes before making.

For Ink Spots.

RUB ink spots on linen with half a ripe tomato, and when washed they will disappear entirely.

Tested Egg Recipes

By Mary Lee Swann,
The Well-Known Writer and Lecturer on Cooking.

Egg Timbale Custard.

BEAT 6 eggs slightly and add 1 teaspoon salt, ¼ teaspoon paprika, 1½ cups milk and a few drops of onion juice. Pour into buttered timbale molds, set in pan of hot water, and bake until firm in a slow oven.

Egg and Pimiento Timbales.

LINE well-buttered timbale molds with canned pimentoes, fill with egg timbale custard, place in pan of hot (not boiling) water, cover with buttered paper and bake until firm. Turn out on small rounds of buttered or French toast. Serve with cream or bread crumb sauce.

Scrambled Eggs with Tomatoes

STRAIN 2 cups tomato pulp which has been seasoned with a little onion juice, salt and pepper. Melt 2 tablespoons butter, add the tomato pulp and stir until hot. Then add 6 slightly beaten eggs, 1 teaspoon salt and a dash of paprika. Stir until thick and creamy. Garnish with parsley or green pepper rings. Serve hot with buttered toast.

Scrambled Eggs with Chicken Livers.

BEAT 6 eggs slightly, add 1 teaspoon salt, a dash of paprika and ⅓ cup milk or cream. Melt 2 tablespoons butter and add egg mixture. Cook slowly until creamy, stirring constantly. Pour over buttered toast. Put 1 tablespoon of well-seasoned thick tomato juice on each serving and sprinkle with finely chopped chicken livers which have been sauted in bacon or chicken fat. Garnish with parsley.

Scalloped Eggs.

FINELY chop 4 hard-boiled eggs. Sprinkle bottom of buttered baking dish with ¼ cup buttered bread crumbs, cover crumbs with hard-cooked eggs, pour white sauce over the eggs, then sprinkle with ⅓ cup finely chopped cold ham, chicken or veal. Repeat until 1 cup of meat, 1 cup of bread crumbs and 2 cups of thin well-seasoned white sauce have been used. Cover with buttered crumbs and bake until brown. Chopped sauted peppers or mushrooms may be used for seasoning.

Egg Sandwiches.

PRESS hard-boiled eggs through potato ricer. Season with salt, paprika and salad dressing. Spread evenly between thin slices of bread. Shredded lettuce may be added if sandwiches are not to be kept very long.

Bread Crumb Sauce.

PUT ¼ cup stale bread crumbs in top of double boiler, add 1½ cups milk, 1 slice of onion, 2 or 3 whole cloves, a little paprika and ½ teaspoon salt. Cook over hot water about ½ hour. Add 2 tablespoons butter. Pour over or around timbales or croquettes and sprinkle with coarse bread crumbs which have been browned in butter.

Eggs Benedict.

TOAST half an English muffin or a large round piece of buttered bread. On this place a slice of broiled ham, trimmed to fit the bread. On the ham place a poached egg. Coat this evenly with hollandaise sauce. This is sometimes garnished with a fine broiled mushroom.

Luncheon Eggs with Asparagus

MELT 2 tablespoons butter, add 2 tablespoons flour gradually, blend well and add 2 cups milk. Stir until smooth and thick. Add 1 teaspoon salt and a dash of paprika. Add 1 cup cooked asparagus tips. Heat, pour into hot glass baking dish. Slip 4 or 5 eggs, one at a time, from edge of saucer into sauce and asparagus. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and grated cheese. Set in pan of hot water and bake until eggs are poached.

Shirred Eggs.

BUTTER individual baking dishes. Break eggs, one at a time, into a saucer. Carefully slip 1 or 2 eggs into each baking dish. Sprinkle with salt, pepper and melted butter. Place in a pan of boiling water. Cook in a moderate oven until whites are firm. If a little change is desired, mix 1 cup stewed and strained tomatoes with a little finely chopped and cooked onion and green pepper. Pour a little of this mixture into each dish before adding the eggs. Then place in slow oven and bake.

Appetizing Menus for the Week

MONDAY	TUESDAY	WEDNESDAY	THURSDAY	FRIDAY	SATURDAY	SUNDAY
Breakfast	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*	*Breakfast*
Baked Bananas, Oatmeal, Rolls, Coffee.	Prunes, Cereal, Cornmeal Griddle Cakes, Syrup, Coffee.	Grapes, Cereal, Broiled Bacon, Broiled Tomatoes, Twin Mountain Muffins, Coffee.	Stewed Pears, Potato Omelet, Sausages, Whole Wheat Muffins, Coffee.	Cantaloupe, Creamed Dried Beef, Muffins, Coffee.	Baked Apples, Oatmeal, French Toast, Coffee.	Sliced Peaches, Cereal, Poached Eggs on Toast, Coffee.
Luncheon	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Luncheon*	*Dinner*
Egg Croquettes, Pimiento Sauce, Lettuce, Muffins, Tea.	Vegetarian Walnut Pie, Sliced Tomatoes, Wheat Bread, Blackberry Gelatin.	Macaroni au Gratin, Green Pepper and Tomato Salad, Waffles and Syrup.	Nut Bread and Lima Bean Sandwiches, Pineapple, Cookies, Cocoa.	Egg Plant with Poached Eggs, Peaches, Sponge Drops.	Asparagus Short Cake, Lettuce Salad, Wafers, Tea.	Roast Beef, Sweet Potatoes, Scalloped Salsify, Relish, Apricot Trifle.
Dinner	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Dinner*	*Supper*
Broiled Steak, Stuffed Potatoes, Glazed Onions, Astoria Cabbage Salad, Apple Whip, Custard Sauce.	Corned Beef, Carrots, Cabbage, Potatoes, Marshmallow Gingerbread, Coffee.	Cold Corned Beef, Potatoes, Cauliflower, Deep Apple Pie.	Savory Rice (with Tomatoes and Bacon), Lettuce Salad, Jellied Prunes, Whipped Cream.	Halibut Steak, Japanese Sauce, Boiled Potatoes, Green Peas, Pickled Carrots, Fruit Cup.	Breaded Veal Chops in Casserole, Stuffed Green Peppers, Maple Nut Cornstarch Blanc Mange.	Roast Beef Sandwiches, Lettuce Salad, Canned Fruit, Tea.

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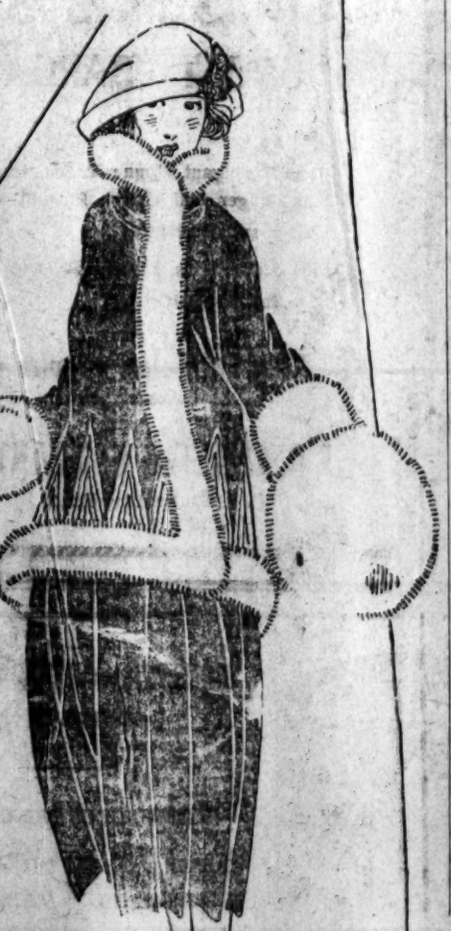

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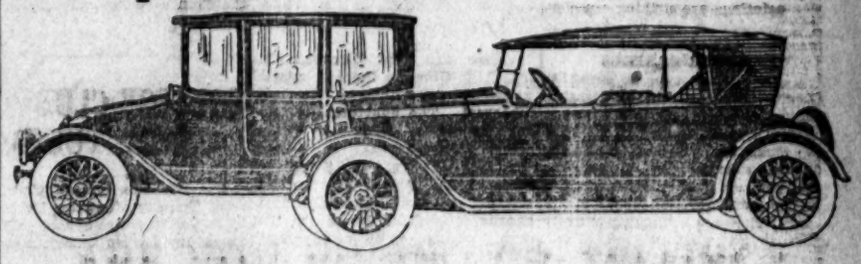

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Women's Overeas Club To Aid In Fete For American Gobs

The Navy Young Men's Christian Association assisted by the members of the Women's Overseas Club and the Social Service Department of the American Woman's Club will entertain the American sailors in port with a jolly Christmas eve party.

The affair will be held at the Navy "Y" at 7:30 o'clock and invitations have been extended especially to the sailors on the United States ship, New Orleans.

A big Christmas tree will be illuminated at 7:30 o'clock after which stockings filled with good things will be distributed to the men and games, music and dancing will be enjoyed. The orchestra of the United States ship, New Orleans, will play for the dancing.

At the close of the entertainment, refreshments will be served which will include home made cake and candies furnished by ladies of the American Woman's Club under direction of Mrs. James MacDonell, chairman of the Social Service Department.

The decoration of the Christmas tree and the entertainment will be in the hands of Miss Cardline Thompson and other members of the Women's Overseas Club. All friends of the Service men are cordially invited to be present.

A fine "double deck" Christmas fruit cake has been contributed for the occasion by Mr. J. D. Sullivan Confectionary Company.

Christmas Day and evening the Navy "Y" will hold "Open House" and it is hoped that many will drop in to greet the sailors who are spending Christmas so far away from home. In the evening there will be a good Cinema program.

Art Exhibition At French Hall Attracts Many

The Franco-Italian art exhibition which opened yesterday afternoon at the French Municipal Hall was well attended and it is believed that a large sum will be received from the entrance fees which are to be donated to the work of the Woman's Famine Relief Society.

The net proceeds from the entrance fees are to be given to the woman's organisation which is doing splendid work for the relief of the famine sufferers and ten percent of the sales proceeds will be given to the Shanghai War Memorial Fund.

The exhibition will be held until December 28 from 10 to 12 a.m. and from 2 to 7 p.m. Admission is $1.

Mr. Raoul Bigazzi, art collector and sculptor from Florence, has hung some 300 paintings by modern French and Italian artists in the French Town Hall. He has brought the most remarkable collection of pictures here which have been exhibited in Shanghai for many years. In all Mr. Bigazzi has about 1,000 pictures which have just arrived from Europe but there is not room in the hall to display the entire collection.

Such men as Charles Gir, Lucien Jonas, Chaffanel, Coussens, Bertrand, Mathieux and J. Hermaudez are fast making names for themselves. Jonas exhibited his first notable picture only 15 years ago, and has now acquired a reputation as a minute observer of humanity. His war paintings are striking especially "The Soldier with the machine gun."

SOME CLEVER PASTELS

Quite another type of artist is Charles Gir, a student of lighting effects. Working in pastel, Gir has devoted a great amount of his time to theatrical subjects, especially dances, subordinating drawing to the portrayal of movement and lighting, and reveling above all in color. They are something entirely new to Shanghai and "The two Dancing Girls" and "Gavotte" are very picturesque.

Chaffanel is represented by a large number of paintings in oil, landscapes, seascapes and nude studies.

While these three artistes comprise the most important section of the exhibition, there is a large number of works by other artists, notably some delightfully fresh watercolors by Coussens.

This exhibition offers Shanghai an opportunity of acquiring some remarkably good works and at the same time assisting two very important funds in Shanghai at the present time.

A GIFT TO RELIEF SOCIETY

The Women's Famine Relief Society have been presented by the Scotch Bakery with a large, table decoration cake about two feet in length surmounted with a large chocolate cornucopia from which issues a fine assortment of very real marzipan fruit. The cake is to be raffled. tickets are obtainable from the Committee or at The Scotch Bakery, 8 Nanking Road where the cake is on view.

First Woman To Labor Conference Returns

Mrs. Sarah A. Conboy, who has arrived from England after attending the British Unions' Conference at Portsmouth, Mrs. Conboy represented the American Federation of Labor. She is the first woman to represent the federation as a delegate to an international conference.

Mrs. F. W. STEVENS WILL BE GUEST OF LOCAL WOMEN

Wife Of New York Man Here For Consortium To Be Dined Tomorrow

Mrs. Stevens, wife of Mr. F. W. Stevens, American Representative of the Consortium, will be guest of honor at a dinner to be given tomorrow night at 8 o'clock at the Palace Hotel under the auspices of the American Woman's Club.

Mrs. Charles Lobingier, president of the club will be toastmistress of the occasion. Mrs. Lobingier, who has been ill at Dr. Fearn's Sanitorium for several days, has returned to her home at 12 Whangpoo Road and it is hoped she will be well enough to preside.

A program of interest is being arranged by Mrs. Clark and will consist of toasts, music and probably Chinese entertainment.

The wives of the officers of the various American organisations in Shanghai and a few other distinguished guests have been invited.

The committee in charge of the affair consists of Mesdames F. R. Sites, A. P. Parker and A. C. Davis.

Concert Of The Chinese Community Chorus

If the Chinese Community Chorus will sing this afternoon and tomorrow evening as well as they did at the dress rehearsal yesterday afternoon those who have booked for seats for the Christmas Festival in the Town Hall are assured of an enjoyable time.

Under the able direction of Mr. T. D. Glauque the 258 mixed voices did splendidly at the last rehearsal. The quartette consisting of Miss Myra B. Olive (Soprano), Mrs. C. D. Dixon (Contralto), Mr. C. S. Keen (Tenor) and Mr. R. C. Treman (Bass) is well known. The chorus is assisted by the municipal orchestra of 40 instruments.

Better seating arrangements are made this year, and we are told that those who reserve seats beforehand at Moutrie's can count on their seats being kept for them. The chorus and the orchestra will be accomodated on a platform specially made for the purpose.

Santa Claus Pays Visit To Children Who Attend Woman's Club Xmas Party

Christmas Tree And Entertainment Delights Over 100; Pleasing Program Given Under Direction Of Misses Arra Wood And Lila K La Mond

Santa Claus, carrying a pack of good things over his shoulder, was greeted with shrieks of delight by the children of the members of the American Woman's Club when he arrived at the annual kiddies' party, yesterday afternoon at the Carlton Cafe.

More than one hundred children had the best time ever at the party. There was a glittering Christmas tree, tea served with home-made animal cookies, a program arranged especially for the children, and stockings filled with candy which Santa Claus distributed to the little guests.

CHILDREN DANCE

The program, which was very delightful, was under the direction of Miss Arra Woods of the French School and Miss Lila K. La Mond of the American School.

The Minuet, was gracefully danced by Miss Lorraine Fleming and Miss Helen Morse, who wore the picturesque costumes of the Colonial days; the Sailor's Hornpipe was cleverly executed by Miss Frances Rowe who wore a middy suit. Miss Doreen Lent, wearing an attractive Scottish costume, pleased in the Highland Fling; the Irish Jig was danced by Miss Olive Crane and Miss Lenora Bernard, who wore the costumes of the Irish gallant and his pretty Irish maid, was enthusiastically received.

The Scare Crow dance as given by Miss Margaret and Master Clay Crane in scare crow costumes was perhaps the cleverest dance of the afternoon and was enjoyed by the children; Miss Virginia Sullivan and Miss Claire Sullivan wearing picturesque costumes appeared in the Cake Walk.

ORIENTAL DANCE

Five young girls, Virginia and Claire Sullivan, Beattie White, Doreen Lent, and Frances Rowe, wearing gaily colored harem costumes, danced a picturesque oriental dance. The children are pupils of Madam Kelvie and gave a splendid interpretation of the well known dances. The children of the French School kindergarten sang Christmas carols and Miss Eleanor Haber delighted the kiddies by reading a number of the poems which are written especially for children.

The Carlton Cafe loaned the lights for the Christmas tree illumination, Mr. R. D. Bunn donated the candy for the stockings, and Mr. A. Lethin made a splendid Old Saint Nick.

A short business session was held when a concert to be given for the benefit of the Korean school children in Shanghai at the Olympic Theater January 8 was announced. Many gifts of toys and clothing were donated which will be given to local charity organisations.

SOCIAL SERVICE WORK PLANNED BY DEPARTMENT

'At Homes' For American Sailors To Be Featured By Woman's Club

The Social Service Department of the American Woman's Club has completed the program for the year 1921. As various occasions arise however and special needs are presented additional meetings may be held. "At Homes" for the American sailors in port at the Navy Young Men's Christian Association will be featured by the Social Service Department this year.

On January 7, the hostesses will be Mesdames C. E. Crane and J. H. Black; on February 4, Mesdames C. A. Linn and Dunbar; March 11, Mesdames G. F. Challoner and Gamble; April 8, Mesdames Allen Loehr and Paget; May 6, Mesdames R. W. Squires and J. Vinton Scott; June 10, Misses Alice and Ethel Allen.

Wedding

PERNOT—GUILLEMARD

Mr. L. Pernot, one of the managers of the Shanghai offices of Messrs. Oliver and Company, and Miss Guillemard, who arrived in Shanghai from France on the Andre Lebon, were married at St. Joseph's Church on Rue Montauban yesterday morning. The religious ceremony was performed at 10 o'clock and a civil ceremony followed at the French Consulate-General, M. Reau officiating.

COLLEGE CLUB MEETS TUESDAY

The Woman's College Club will meet Tuesday afternoon, December 28 at the McTyeire School on Edinburgh Road when a Christmas program will be enjoyed.

Tea will be served by the members of the McTyeire faculty who are members of the club. Features of the program will be Christmas stories and the singing of Christmas carols. The musical program is under the direction of Mrs. Max Cavanagh.

BRIDGE TEAS ANNOUNCED FOR EQUIPMENT FUND

Social Department Of American Woman's Club Holds First Jan. 28

The Social Department of the American Woman's Club, of which Mrs. W. H. Lunt is chairman, announces the following program for the year 1921.

There will be a bridge tea Monday afternoon January 24 at the Columbia Country Club for the benefit of the permanent equipment fund; February 28 a bridge tea will be held at the Columbia Country Club for the benefit of the permanent equipment fund; March 28 bridge tea at the Columbia Country Club for the permanent equipment fund.

A tea dance will be given during March and the annual garden party of the club will be held in May.

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LITERARY DEPARTMENT

The Literary Department of the American Woman's Club will meet on Friday afternoon, January 14, at the Royal Asiatic Society Hall when Miss Ada R. Eickmeyer will read a paper on "Emperior Kang Hsi," and Miss S. Bosworth on "Porcelains, White and Powder Blue."

ROTARIANS AND WIVES PREPARING KIDDIES GIFTS

Presents Will Be Given To 300 Children Who Are At Orphanage

Members of the Rotary Club with their wives and children, will motor out to the Lunghua Orphanage, Lunghua, on Christmas Day at 2:30 p.m. to distribute Christmas presents to the some 300 orphans in the institution. Arrangements have been made by the members to give some needy article to every one of the inmates.

Sometime ago, the Rotary Club appointed a committee to investigate into the needs of one of the local charitable institutions and the commitee reported favorably on the Lunghua Orphanage, which is a purely Chinese institution. Inquiries were then made as to the immediate needs of the orphanage. As a result, the members and their families who are going out on Christmas Day will take with them besides the Christmas Tree, sweets, socks, hats, toys, mufflers and other useful articles.

The members and their families will start from the Astor House at 2:30 o'clock sharp for the orphanage. About one hundred are expected to make the trip. About $500 has been raised for the purchase of the gifts, each member giving at least $5 towards the cause.

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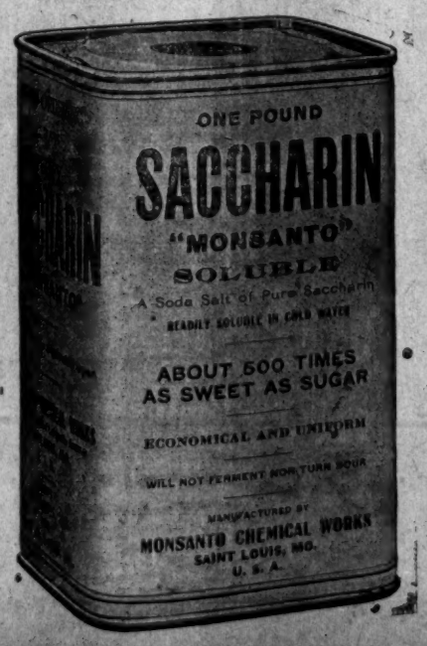

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COLLEGE TEAMS BATTLE TODAY

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lowing with 14. Of course, this does not give her a higher place in the league.

SOOCHOW ELEVEN SLIPS

Nanking University has a far better team this year than last year. She lost all her E.C.I.A.A. games last year. This year she has won one game and will undoubtedly win over Government Teacher's College.

It is unfortunate that Hangchow Christian College failed to produce a team. This is her second season without a football eleven.

Soochow University has dropped considerably from her last year's standing. In 1920, she won the E.C.I.A.A. Championship winning over Nanking University, Shanghai College, and Nanyang College. She did not play St. John's University. Last year her percentage was 1,000, this year, 500.

If Soochow University, Fuhtan University, Nanking University, and Shanghai College spruce up a bit for next year's season, Nanyang and St. John's will not have it all their own way in 1921. It is hoped that these other schools will be closer rivals with these other two schools when another season calls the footballers out for these contests.

Results of games played to date.

I.

	Goals Won.	Goals Lost.
Nanyang vs. Fuhtan	4	1
Nanyang vs. Soochow	2	0
Nanyang vs. St. John's	1	1

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St. John's vs. Soochow U.	3	1
Total	13	6

Games: Won 3, Tied 2, Lost none.

III.

Soochow vs. Nanking U.	2	0
Soochow vs. Nanyang	2	0
Soochow vs. Fuhtan	0	1
Soochow vs. St. John's	1	3
Soochow vs. Nanyang	0	2
Soochow vs. Shanghai	4	3
Total	9	9

Games: Won 3, Lost 3.

IV.

Fuhtan vs. Nanyang	1	4
Fuhtan vs. Nanking U.	2	0
Fuhtan vs. Soochow U.	1	0
Fuhtan vs. Nanyang	3	1
Total	7	5

Games: Won 2, Lost 2.

V.

Shanghai vs. Soochow U.	3	4
Shanghai vs. Nanking U.	0	3
Shanghai vs. G. T. C.	6	0
Shanghai vs. St. John's	3	5
Shanghai vs. Nanyang	2	10
Total	14	22

Nanyang vs. St. John's	1	1
Nanyang vs. Shanghai	10	2
Total	18	5

Games: Won 3, Tied 2, Lost none.

II.

St. John's vs. Nanking U.	3	0
St. John's vs. Nanyang	1	1
St. John's vs. Nanyang	1	1
St. John's vs. Shanghai	5	3
Games: Won 1, Lost 4.		

VI.

Nanking U. vs. Soochow U.	0	2
Nanking U. vs. Shanghai	3	0
Nanking U. vs. St. John's	0	3
Nanking U. vs. Fuhtan	0	2
Total	3	7

Games: Won 1, Lost 3.

VII.

G. T. C. vs. Soochow U.	0	2
G. T. C. vs. Shanghai	0	6
G. T. C. vs. Fuhtan	1	3
Total	1	11

Games: Won 0, Lost 3.

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SAILORS PLAY SHANGHAI ELEVEN

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which the young girls of Shanghai would gladly become interested—and it is worth a dollar to have a sweet missie tag you—but steps must be made towards making arrangements for the game.

SAILORS UNDER WAY

The first essential is practice. The Navy has the idea and about noon, if you're on the Bund, you will note the gang from the American cruiser, armed with a football and a flock of coppers, clambering aboard a street car bound for Hongkew Park. And how they love to muss one another up at said Hongkew Park.

The sailors have selected a team which reads something like this: left end J. J. Trocki; left tackle, J. J. Stankowitz; left guard, Frederick Chaffee; center, W. F. Shuff; right guard, D. C. Joseph; right tackle, H. L. Newman; right end, G. H.McGrane; quarterback, R. K. Pallou; left halfback W. D. Fields; right halfback, Hill; fullback, E. M. Warner.

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Asquith's Wife Lifts Lid Of Life When She Presided At 10 Downing Street

SOME CRITICS SEVERE

Northcliffe Sees Scandal In Disclosures—'Post' Calls It 'Malice In Blunderland'

(*New York Herald*)

London, Nov. 6.—"Margot's" book is out and critics rage over it from pole to pole. Instalments of it were published serially in the London Sunday Times, but they were carefully copyrighted, and this cramped the critics' style to some extent, although the revelations of additional passages from the book which appeared in the American publications gave some of them more swing. Now, however, all, from Winston Churchill to the veriest penny-a-liner, have opened their flood gates of praise or blame.

To understand the light in which the British public receives this book, it must be recalled that it is from the pen of the woman who presided over the household of the Prime Minister, at historic 10 Downing Street, and that it deals intimately with every prominent personality of the last generation. It is as if some one who had been more sensational while in the White House than any American woman of prominence and family has ever been had taken her pen and told the whole story of how she had courted the President, how she had repulsed a dozen Senators and a Secretary of State, etc., etc., and told the most intimate details of all the intimate little parties of a gay generation in Washington.

The book is more than the telling of how heroes eat soup. It is telling how Arthur Balfour made love—or, rather, how he didn't make love—and Arthur has probably been the coldest personification of statesmanship propriety that Great Britain has ever known. And despite the severe strictures on the character of the book, there is not one critic who says it is not powerful.

CALLS BOOK MISCHIEF MAKER

Lord Northcliffe is particularly bitter against it in the Times, declaring that the book will sell only because it is a great scandal. The Times asserts it will create great mischief, leading the silly, underbred to believe that the manners and customs described in it are the real manners and customs of the leaders of the British nation, and says "it will be cited by our domestic Bolsheviki and accepted by many ignorant workers as proof that our statesmen and politicians, and the circles in which they move, live lives of philandering frivolity. It will be jeered at on the Continent and in America as a revelation on highest authority of the corruption and hypocrisy in British manners."

The Morning Post calls it "Malice in Blunderland" and says it is "all a mirage of falsities and fallacies created by a blazing egoism unique in the history of British literature." The most charitable plan it says "is to regard the book as a twenty-five shilling shocker."

Winston Churchill, who is rather roughly handled in the course of "Margot's" prickly peregrinations, handles the book rather handsomely, considering. After sketching a not overdrawn portrait of "Margot" herself he says:

"We must not take the stories too seriously. It is better to leave them in those regions of light and pleasant reading where gossip, anecdote, inventiveness, self-revelation—and particularly feminine self-revelation—should rightly reside."

And it was asked in the House of Commons the same day he said this whether Mr. Churchill hadn't better busy himself with Ireland than to pass his time reveiwing books for the newspapers.

Despite all this, the book is a series of pictures painted by that kinetic personality who broke almost every one of her bones riding difficult fences, who dared to turn 10 Downing Street over to a French dressmaker for an exhibition of gowns because she liked him, who dared in 1914 to say goodby to the German Ambassador for the same reason, and who, according to her own account, dared "beard" even the dreaded Queen Victoria in her own den.

LOOKING BEHIND THE SCENES

It is the story of a woman who throughout her own generation has been a sort of an enfant terrible, not only in the society in which she moved, but to the great British public itself. Of course it is what every one loves, purporting, as it does, to look behind great scenes. It undoubtedly possesses literary charm, swift movement, deft expression and technical excellence in the difficult task of autobiography, which is hardly to be expected in the writer of it. This, perhaps, moves A. G. Gardiner to write:

"Bold and honest self-portraiture such as this is too rare to die. But it will live for another reason. For this is something more than a treasury of wit, a panorama of personality; it is the obituary of a system of society."

Every one is asking what Mr. Asquith will say and bets are that he will say nothing. His wife trotted off to France on the eve of the publication of the book. It was stated that Mr. Asquith had not read the serials and then saw the book for the first time.

The book is dedicated to Mr. Asquith, with the following excerpts from Epictetus:

"'What! Have you not received powers to bear all that befalls? Have you not received magnanimity? Have you not received courage? Have you not received endurance?"

Apparently, Mr. Asquith had received all this for despite the revelations of the most intimate details of his relations with his first wife and a frank discussion regarding his children and stepchildren, among whom is the Princess Bibesco, now on her way to Washington as the wife of the new Rumanian Minister, he went north after reading the book to make a speech on the Irish question.

U.S. CARS POPULAR AT LONDON SHOW

Stand Second To Britain With Forty-One Types On Exhibit There

London, Nov. 6.—What is probably the greatest international exposition of motor cars opened at the Olympia this week. It is the fourteenth motor exhibition here and one of the most interesting ever held, for despite the attainment of a certain "normancy" in all automblie types in these days, the Olympia presents a fascinating study of the subject of prices and values. It is particularly interesting to Americans because, excepting the British, who are showing more than eighty types of motor cars, the Americans, with forty-one, come second. The French are showing twenty-six, the Italians ten and the Belgians, Dutch and Swiss one each.

FORDS AT $1,000 POPULAR

America has the distinction of showing the lowest priced automobile—the Ford, of course—but despite the additional 30 percent duty, this handy but universal piece of mechanism that is almost as familiar as Yorkshire pudding in England sells here for £200 (normal $1,000). No other motor car—not even the smallest, flimsiest cycle car, approaches that price. The same holds true practically throughout the scale of American makes. Horse-power for horse-power and class for class, the American automobiles, despite the 30 percent duty they must pay, run British prices a close race, and are becoming very popular here, selling cheaper than their British competitors.

A distinguishing feature of many British motor cars this year is their adoption of the electric lighting system, electric starting and the perfection of coach work, in which they seem to excel even some of the very striking French and Italian interiors de luxe.

RESENT AMERICAN INVASION

The American invasion is already a very sore subject with British automobile makers, but despite their perfectly legitimate efforts to play up the handwrought reliability and endurance of the British makes the public here has continued to throng the American exhibits. As a result of this prices are, to some extent, chaotic, many important firms refusing to quote prices, or quoting them only provisionally, in the face of the unsettled labor conditions.

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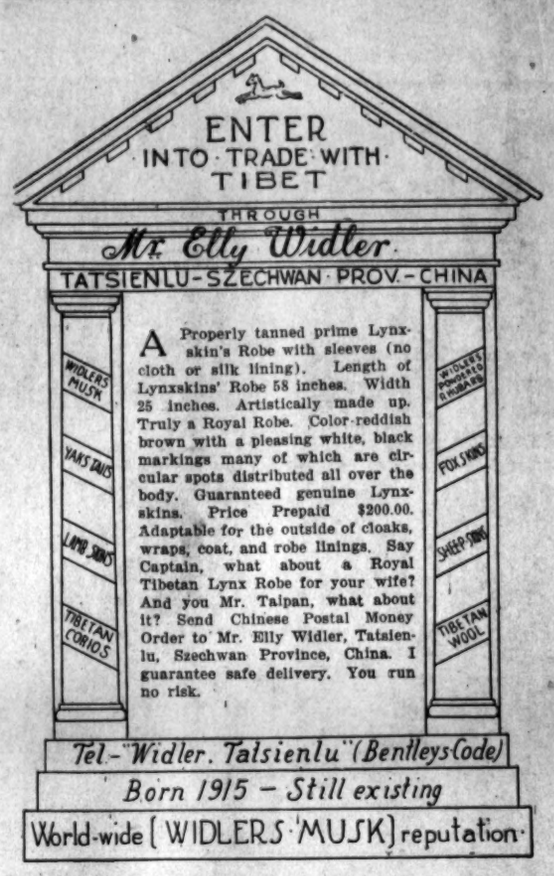

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Design and Construction of Yellow River Bridge for Peking-Hankow Railway
The Peking-Hankow Line of the Chinese Government Railways invites sealed proposals of bridge contractors for designing and building a new steel bridge about 2,800 meters in length across the Yellow River (Hwang-Ho). Proposals will be received up to noon of June 30th, 1921, at the office of Peking-Hankow Railway, Peking, China, plans, rules and specifications can be obtained from the following offices:
Peking: Peking-Hankow Railway, American, British, Belgain, American, Italian and Japanese Legations.
Foreign: Chinese Legations, Washington, London, Brussels, Paris, Rome and Tokio.
All applications for same must be accompanied with £6 for foreign countries and with dollars 30.00 for Peking.
Peking-Hankow Railway Administration.
34264

Dr. Edward Olson, D.N.
Nervous, rheumatic and stomach Complaints; Sequels from fresh and old accidents successfully treated.
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Municipal Notification
No. 2702
7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1920
Price of Issue until further notice 92½ per cent.
Under the authority of Resolution VII passed at the annual meeting of Ratepayers on April 7, 1920, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent Loan of 1920.
The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.
They will be issued at 92½ per cent until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1930.
The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.
Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.
By order,
N. D. LIDDELL,
Secretary.
Council Room,
Shanghai, April 13, 1920.
33959

HONMA HOSPITAL
No. 3A Miller Road,
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DR. K. HONMA
(former Assistant at the Imperial University at Fukuoka)
Women's Diseases
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P443, Nanking Road,
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Cakes of all kinds made to order.
GENUINE BRAZIL COFFEE
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大陸報

SHANGHAI, WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1920

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Business and Official Notices

NOTICE

It having been brought to our attention that certain unauthorised persons have used our firm name and chop to obtain goods without our knowledge and/or consent:—Therefore, the Public is hereby warned not to accept any order for delivery of any goods or monies unless it bears the Firm's chop and is signed by the undersigned. We refuse all responsibility for any bills for goods unless they bear the signature of the Managing Director for the Far Eastern Department, or our authorised Compradore.

Products Corporation of America
W. H. TENNEY,
Managing Director for Far Eastern Department.
Compradore: TUNG YUE TSENG.
董裕珍

NOTICE

The Public is hereby notified that Mr. D. S. Sung has no further connection with the Products Corporation of America, and the undersigned will not be responsible for any debts contracted by him in our name.

Products Corporation of America
W. H. TENNEY,
Managing Director for Far Eastern Department.
34497

Royal Asiatic Society
NORTH CHINA BRANCH.

A Meeting of the Society will be held in the Lecture Hall, 5 Museum Road, on Thursday, December 23rd, at 5.30 p.m., when a Paper will be given by Mr. CHARLES KLIENE, F.R.G.S., on "THE MARRIAGE MAKER." (A Chinese fairy tale.)

The Meeting Is Open To The Public.
ISAAC MASON,
Hon. Secretary.
34492

LOST OR STOLEN

Lost, a draft No. 364, issued by The Shanghai Commercial and Savings Bank, on Irving National Bank, New York, U.S.A., in favor of Foolay Electric Company, dated Dec. 3rd, 1920, for G.$440.40. The public is hereby notified that same has been declared null and void and must not now be negotiated.

Foolay Electrical Co. Ltd.
34461

Municipal Notification
No. 2784.

Shanghai Municipal Council.
Six per cent Sterling Loan, 1925.

Issue of Debentures to Bearer (with Interest Coupons attached)

Notice is hereby given that on and after Tuesday, December 28, 1920, Bankers' Receipts Nos. 1-123, 125-196, 198-219, 221-236, 238-258, 260-299, 301-320, 323-350, 352-356 (being in respect of subscriptions received prior to September 1, 1920) may be exchanged for Debentures to Bearer, with Interest Coupons attached, at the office of the Treasurer and Comptroller, Finance Department, Administration Building, Hankow Road. For their own protection, holders of Bankers Receipts are advised to attend personally at the above address, or to give a written authority to any person acting as their proxy in the matter.

Interest Coupon No. 1, payable on December 31, 1920, must be lodged with the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation, 56, Szechuen Road, two clear days before the date of payment. Payment will be made (at the option of the Debenture Holder to be declared in writing at the time of lodgment with the Bank) either by sterling demand draft on London at par, or in silver (local currency) at the Hongkong and Shanghai Banking Corporation's Shanghai current demand buying rate on London on date of presentation of the relative Interest Coupon.

A further notification will be issued in due course as to the exchange of Bankers' Receipts not specified above, and relative to subscriptions received subsequent to August 31, 1920, in respect of which interest does not become payable until June 30, 1921.

By order,
N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.
Council Room,
Shanghai, December 20, 1920.
34475

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CASE
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(Sandy Mac)
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SCOTCH WHISKY
At All Storekeepers

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Notice is hereby given that the Directors having declared an Interim Dividend of $3 per share, payable 24th December 1920. The Share Transfer Books of this Company will be closed Thursday, the 23rd instant, for the preparation of Dividend Warrants.

By order of the Board,
E. BURROWS,
Secretary.
34496

Latest Parisian Creations

Mme. Suaroz, from Paris, takes pleasure in inviting the public to inspect her HATS, DRESSES, LINGERIE, ETC., at Room 214, Astor House. Hours 10 a.m.—5 p.m. Prices Moderate
34489

China Electric Company, Ltd.

MANUFACTURERS OF AND DEALERS IN TELEPHONE, TELEGRAPH AND POWER APPARATUS AND SUPPLIES

Announces that on and after December 6th, 1920, its Commercial Office, with Sales Department and Display Room, will be located in the Shanghai Mutual Telephone Company, Ltd., Building at 24-a Kiangse Road, 2nd Floor. Telephones C-4785, C-4795.

SALES OFFICE at 445 Foochow Road is discontinued.
34103

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Dealers in all kinds of Neck Pieces, Muffs and Coats.
We guarantee the fit of our garments
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Call early as our stock is limited.

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REMOVAL

The offices of The
Municipal Electricity Department
have been removed to the
Municipal Buildings
(Foochow Road Entrance)
34395

Shanghai Foreign Exchange Bankers' Association

The Foreign Exchange Banks which are members of the above Association, will be closed for the transaction of Public Business on Saturday and Monday, the 25th and 27th instant, on account of Christmas Holidays.
34453

SITUATIONS WANTED

YOUNG man, experienced in bookkeeping, typewriting, filing and general office routine also knowledge of shorthand, desires change of position. No objection to outport. Excellent reference. Apply to Box 214, THE CHINA PRESS.
34469 D 22

AMERICAN lady bookkeeper, with excellent ability and experience in office system, filing, mailing, coding, etc., is open for an immediate engagement. Apply to Box 189, THE CHINA PRESS.
34417 D. 22.

SITUATIONS VACANT

WANTED, shroff for dry goods, notions and haberdashery lines, by an American firm. Must be able to speak English. State experience and salary desired. Apply to Box 211, THE CHINA PRESS.
34466 D 23

COMPRADORE wanted for new firm, must have had experience importation of sundries. References required, cash deposit and name security, good salary. Apply to Box 183, THE CHINA PRESS.
34388 D 24

WANTED, accountant for large established import and export firm. Applicant must be thoroughly experienced and efficient in office system, modern accounting, and handling of exchange. Apply to Box 1305, THE CHINA PRESS.
33987

OFFICES WANTED

WANTED, office space of one small room, centerally located. Will consider sharing large room with another party. Apply to Box 219, THE CHINA PRESS.
34486 D 24

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET from February 1st, 1921, a well-furnished house in the Wayside district; dining room, drawing room, three bedrooms, three bathrooms, kitchen and pantry. Apply to Box 212, THE CHINA PRESS.
34465 D 23

Classified Advertisements

All Advertisements must be prepaid. Replies must be called for.

2 Cents a Word. Minimum Charge 40 cents

SITUATIONS WANTED

WANTED, position by competent stenographer. Several years experience general office work, filing, cabling, etc. References. Apply to Box 223, THE CHINA PRESS.
34491 D 28

EXPERIENCED imports man and commercial traveller prepared to take a position immediately. Knowledge of Chinese, Japanese and Russian, and well acquainted with the customs and business methods of this country; has travelled extensively. Apply to Box 217, THE CHINA PRESS.
34485 D 24

EXPERIENCED young man seeks position as typist and filing clerk or general office assistant. Moderate salary. Apply to Box 187, THE CHINA PRESS.
34442 D 23

YOUNG man, with good knowledge of bookkeeping, correspondence, typing, shipping, fire insurance, coding and filing, seeks position. Has been acting manager in a large mercantile firm and is thorough conversant with business. Would take up any responsible position locally or outport. Please apply to Box 207, THE CHINA PRESS.
34455 D 23

YOUNG man, American, age twenty-five, just arrived, fifteen months previously in China, college graduate with business training, five years' bookkeeping, private secretarial and expert stenographic experience, wants place with business house where he will have opportunity by hard work and study during leisure hours to grow into position of executive responsibility. Local references. Apply to Box 203, THE CHINA PRESS.
34443 D 22

POLISH LADY, age 26, with some knowledge of English, French and German, wants position in private family as governess or lady's-maid. At reasonable wages. Apply to Box 205, THE CHINA PRESS.
34449 D 28

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DANCING. Modern high-class, individual instruction, no classes. Latest "Jazz" and "Twist" movements in Fox-Trot, One-step, Waltz. Appointments in person, 'phone, letter, Miss Connie Hendry, Astor House.
34483 J 4

MADAM KELVEY, professional teacher of modern, character, classical, ballet and toe dancing. Terms moderate. Write for appointment, Madam Kelvey, Box 49, Care of Chinese Post Office.
34251 J 13

BANJO tuition. Lansing method used. Both legitimate and jazz systems taught, with special attention to harmony and rhythm. Instruments for sale. See Russell Ellis, Carlton Cafe.
33928 D. 29.

DANCING. Shanghai's first dancing class. Prof. Thereses, Palace Hotel, daily 5:15. We teach anyone who can walk to dance.
33948 D. 31.

HOUSES WANTED

REQUIRED at once, furnished flat, any reasonable price considered. Apply to Box 204, THE CHINA PRESS.
34448 D 23

WANTED immediately, four or five-roomed house. Willing to take over lease. Address Mrs. Cocke, 25 Kungping Road, Central 4957.
34441 D 23

WANTED, furnished house in French-town or western district, from 15th February to end of June. Apply to Box 162, THE CHINA PRESS.
34336 D 18

FLAT wanted, central or Hongkew district, not less than three rooms and bath. Furniture taken over if necessary. Address, quoting rent, to Box 13, THE CHINA PRESS.
34081

WANTED about March 1st, furnished house or apartment by American couple, no children. Careful tenants. Apply to Box 154, THE CHINA PRESS.
34298

APARTMENTS

Conraught House
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Board—Residence.
Apply MRS. G. POLLOCK.

TO LET with board, large well-furnished room and bath. Suitable for married couple or two bachelors. All modern conveniences, garage and stabling. Apply to Box 178, THE CHINA PRESS.

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31 Boone Road
One large front room and one back facing garden. Hot and cold water. Suitable for married couples or bachelors. Moderate prices. Table under the personal supervision of the American proprietress.
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34241

TO LET, near Public Park, house six rooms, attic, garden. Furniture fittings, etc., Tls. 750 cash. Moderate rent, immediate possession. Apply to Box 227, THE CHINA PRESS.
34502 D 23

TO LET in private family, large room with alcove and modern bath, suitable for married couple or two bachelors, French concession, near park and trams. Apply to Box 225, THE CHINA PRESS.
34499 D 24

TO LET, two well-furnished flats, each two big rooms, verandah, bathroom, telephone. Apply to Box 226, THE CHINA PRESS.
34500 D 23

TO LET, in the best district, two nice rooms, each for two, with full board. Safe for sale. Apply to Box 206, THE CHINA PRESS.
34452 D 22

TO LET, together and single, two well-furnished rooms, with or without board. Apply 52 Boone Road, corner North Szechuen Road, Phone North 751.
34459 D 22

APARTMENTS WANTED

MARRIED couple (British) desire accommodation, with board, in good residential district. State terms. Apply to Box 220, THE CHINA PRESS.
34487 D 23

WANTED, board and residence for two ladies. Inclusive terms to Box 222, THE CHINA PRESS.
34490 D 23

APARTMENTS wanted by married couple (British), western district, private family; arriving end of the year. Apply to Box 192, THE CHINA PRESS.
34421 D. 22

ACCOMMODATION required for married couple (British), arriving from London at the end of the month. Apply to Box 199, THE CHINA PRESS.
34430 D. 23

WANTED, board and room or rooms for two business gentlemen, in private home. Apply to Box 176, THE CHINA PRESS.
34371 D 22

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

TO LET, two rooms, ground floor, suitable for dwelling or offices. Rent, including tax, light, water and use of phone, Taels 110. Apply 14 Museum Road.
34498 D 23

GODOWN space to be let, modern concrete buildings, part or whole. Particulars and terms, apply to Box 221, THE CHINA PRESS.
34488 D 29

OFFICE to let, three rooms, or will sub-divide, at reasonable rates, in best part of central district; all improvements. Telephone central 3234.
34343

GODOWNS, part or whole, to let in central district. Apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund.
33981

OFFICES to let: suites of from two to four very large light rooms, steam heat, very modern, near Bund. Apply J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.
33982

MISCELLANEOUS

GARAGE for small touring car wanted to rent in vicinity of Bubbling Well Cemetery or Yates Road. Apply to Box 198, THE CHINA PRESS.
34429 D. 28.

WANTED to locate, a supply of commercial muriate of ammonia (ammonium chloride). Apply to Box 139, THE CHINA PRESS.
34258 D 24

EXCHANGE AND MART

NEW Overland touring car, with special fittings, for sale. Best-looking Overland in town, used only one month. Willing to accept 95 per cent of invoice value. Apply to Box 106, THE CHINA PRESS.
34476

FOR SALE, a beautiful platinum chain coral pendant with four diamonds. Bargain. Apply to Box 218, THE CHINA PRESS.
34485 D 24

FOR SALE, five-passenger Overland touring car, just rebuilt and newly painted. Apply Shanghai Motor Repair Co., No. 11 Boone Road, corner of Seward Road.
34494 D 30

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34494 D 30

NEEDLES, new Rustless British Sewing Needles just arrived, sizes 0 to 12, price $3.00 per thousand. Sole agents, Probst Hanbury & Co., Ltd., No. 10 Nanking Road.
34493 D 24

WANTED, bound volume of old English, Scotch and Irish songs—words and music. Must be in good condition. Apply to Box 224, THE CHINA PRESS.
D 24

WHITE Shirting, 32" x 40 yards, Landscape white shirting, price $12.00 per piece. Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., 10 Nanking Road.
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34399 D 24

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34398 D 24

MADAPOLAM, Tootals sealed Madapolam No. T. 33 and No. T. 22, price $8.00 per piece of 12 yards. Apply Probst, Hanbury & Co., Ltd., 10 Nanking Road.
34397 D 24

BEDROOM furniture (complete set with two beds), enamelled white, slightly used, for sale at Tls. 180. Apply to Box 208, THE CHINA PRESS.
34457

FOR SALE, pedigree police dog pups, now one month old. Apply to Box 210, THE CHINA PRESS.
34437 D 23

WANTED, bull-dog or terrier, young male. State price and where can be inspected, to Box 213, THE CHINA PRESS.
34467 D 23

FOR SALE, beautiful imported horse, suitable for the smartest carriage. Seen by appointment. For particulars, apply to Box 209, THE CHINA PRESS.
34434 D. 25.

BARGAIN SALE, Smith Flyer, in good condition. Will sell for Tls. 135. Terms cash. Apply to Box 195, THE CHINA PRESS.
34425 D. 22.

FOR SALE, small lighting set, 100 volts, D.C., 1000 Watts capacity. A very compact and smooth-running outfit. For price and further information, apply to Box 1465, THE CHINA PRESS.
34171

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34456

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33495

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L. ARDAIN, Manager.

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Y. TSENG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital	$15,000,000
Reserve Funds:—	
Sterling	£1,500,000
Silver	$23,000,000
Reserve Liability of Proprietors	$15,000,000

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Paid up Capital	Fr. 50,000,000
Reserves	Fr. 12,027,956

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London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Paris Office: 2 Place de la Bourse
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.
Agents:
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

I. STRAETMANS.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Savings Bank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours 10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

The Bank Of Canton, Limited

Incorporated 1912

Capital subscribed:	£1,000,000
Capital paid up	£1,000,000

HEAD OFFICE
No. 6 Des Voeux Road, Hongkong

SHANGHAI OFFICE
No. 2 Ningpo Road

BRANCHES AND AGENCIES

Canton	Bangkok	S. Francisco
Batavia	Bombay	Colombo
New York	Manila	Samarang
London	Singapore	Calcutta
Honolulu	Rangoon	Yokohama
Sourabaya	Canada, etc	

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Every description of Banking and Exchangee business transacted.

FUNG TSZ-KING,
Act. Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.

Paid-Up Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund	435,461.90

Head office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.

FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, Paris, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

SHEN CHU HAU, Manager.
SHU CHIN MIN, Sub-Manager.
MENG CHIA, T. D. Woo, Acting Sub-Manager.

滙豐實業銀行
Hwei Hai Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Founded and organized by Chang Chien and Chang Cha 1919

Head Office:
NANTUNGCHOW

Shanghai Branch:
22 KIUKIANG ROAD

Capital	$1,000,000

Tels: Managers' Office Cen. 5805
General Office: Cen. 5802

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

International Banking Corporation

Capital and Surplus:	$10,000,000
Undivided Profits:	U.S. $8,200,000

OWNED BY
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK.

Head Office:
60 WALL STREET, NEW YORK

London Office: 36 Bishopsgate E. C.
Lyons Office: 27 Place Tolozan
San Francisco Office:
232 Montgomery Street

Branches:

China		Japan
Canton		Kobe
Hankow		Yokohama
Harbin		
Hongkong		Java
Peking		Batavia
Shanghai		Sourabaya
Tientsin		
Tsingtan		Panama
Dominican Republic		Colon
Barahona		Panama
Puerto Plata		
San Pedro de Macoris		Philippine Islands
Sanchez		Cebu
Santiago		Manila
Santo Domingo		
India		Straits Settlements
Bombay		Singapore
Calcutta		
Rangoon		

BRANCHES OF
THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

Argentina		Italy
Buenos Aires		Genoa
Once (Buenos Aires)		Peru
Rosario		Lima
Belgium		Porto Rico
Antwerp		Ponce
Brussels		San Juan
Brazil		South Africa
Bahia		Cape Town
Pernambuco		Spain
Porto Alegre		Barcelona
Rio de Janeiro		Madrid
Santos		Trinidad
Sao Paulo		Port of Spain
Chile		Uruguay
Santiago		Montevideo
Valparaiso		Calle Rondean (Montevideo)
Colombia		Venezuela
Barranquilla		Caracas
Bogota		Ciudad Boliva
Medellin		Maracaibo
Cuba		
Havana and 22 other cities in Cuba		

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

Banque Industrielle de China

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	„ 150,000,000
Capital paid up	„ 75,000,000
Reserve	„ 30,000,000

One third of the Capital i. e. Frs. 50,000,000 subscribed by THE GOVERNMENT OF THE CHINESE REPUBLIC

Statutes approved by the Government of the Chinese Republic on January 11th, 1913.

President: ANDRE BERTHELOT
General Manager: A. J. PERNOTTE

HEAD OFFICE:
74 RUE SAINT LAZARE, PARIS
BRANCHES:
Marseilles, New York, Peking, Tientsin, Hankow, Shanghai, Vladivostock, Hongkong, Canton, Foochow, Yunnanfu, Saigon, Haiphong, Swatow and Yokohama.

BANKERS:
In London: The London Joint City & Midland Bank, Ltd., London.
In France: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Development du Commerce & de l'Industrie en France.
In Italy: Banca Commerciale Italiana—Credito Italiano.
In New York: Messrs. Redmond & Co., New York.

Taels, Dollars, Gold Accounts

Interest allowed on current accounts in Gold or local currency and fixed deposits on application.

Every description of Banking and exchange business transacted. Savings accounts in Gold and local currency.

G. LION.
Manager.

BANK OF COMMUNICATIONS

Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914, and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING

Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad: Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

SHANGHAI BRANCH
14 The Bund.

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN, Acting Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(NETHERLANDS TRADING SOCIETY)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital:	Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds:	Guilders 17,353,284 (about £1,446,107)
Special Reserve:	Guilders £5,160,000 (about £2,096,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Palembang
Bandoeng	Penang
Calcutta	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kobe	Soerakarta
Kota-Radja	Tebing-Tinggi
Langsa	Tegal
Makassar	Telok Betong
Medan	Tjilatjap
Padang	Weltevreden
Pekalongan	

London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

SHANGHAI INTEREST ALLOWED on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

M. J. HERBSCHLER,
Acting Manager.

The Bank of East Asia, Ltd.

Authorised Capital	$2,000,000
Paid up Capital	2,000,000
Reserve Fund	200,000

Head Office:—2 Queen's Road Central, Hongkong
Shanghai Branch:—30 The Bund
London Bankers:—The London Joint Stock, London, City and Midland Bank Ltd.
Agencies and Correspondents in the principal Commercial centres of the world.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted
Loans granted on approved securities
Fixed and current deposit accounts opened on terms according to arrangement.

RNE CHENG,
Acting Manager.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908

Capital	$1,000,000.00
Reserve Capital	81,425.61
Resources	10,000,000.00

Head Office and Branches:
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, and Lanchi.

Domestic Agencies:
Throughout CHINA at principal Cities.

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, Rotterdam, Amsterdam, New York, Chicago, San Francisco, Tokyo, Kobe, Yokohama, Osaka, Hakodata, Seoul, Fusan, and Hongkong.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and fixed Deposits according to arrangements.

Savings Accounts at 4% compound interest.

Every description of Banking and Exchange transacted.

LI MING,
Manager.

SHANGHAI BRANCH,
U39 Peking Road.
Tel. C. 3145, Mgr's. Office and C. 2147, Gen'l. Office

Cable Address:
"CHINDUSBANK" Shanghai.

SINO-ITALIAN BANK

Aut. Cap. Silver Dollars.	4,800,000
Aut. Cap. Gold It. Lire..	16,000,000
Paid up Capital .. Silver	$1,200,000
Paid up Cap. Gold It. Lire	4,000,000

Branches: Peking, Shanghai, Tientsin

Bankers:
Italy: Credito Italiano, Banca Italiana di Sconto, Banco di Roma.
London: Credit Italiano, National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ld., Glyn Mills and Currie.
France: Credit Commercial de France.
United States: Italian Discount Co., Equitable Trust Company.
Canada: Canadian Bank of Commerce.
South America: Banca Italo Belga.
Switzerland: Banca Union di Credito.

Current, fixed and savings accounts carried in Taels, Dollars, Sterling, U.S. Gold, Italian Lire, Francs and other currencies. Terms on application.

General banking business transacted. Special facilities for Italian exchange.

Telegraphic Address: Banksinit
SHANGHAI, No. 16 Kiukiang Rd.
Tel. C. Nos. 5090 and 5091.
G. GIACHINO: ROBERT LEE
Managers.

ASIA
BANKING CORPORATION

CAPITAL $4,000,000 SURPLUS $1,100,000

An American Institution

HEAD OFFICE
NEW YORK CITY
35 Broadway.

HEAD OFFICE
FOR FAR EAST
SHANGHAI
(Corner Kiukiang & Kiangse Rds).

All descriptions of Banking Business transacted in any part of the world.

A Research Bureau has been established to facilitate and promote trade between the U. S. and China.

STOCKHOLDING BANKS:
Anglo and London, Paris National Bank, San Francisco
Bankers' Trust Company, New York City
First National Bank of Portland, Oregon
Guaranty Trust Company of New York
Guardian Savings and Trust Company, Cleveland, Ohio
Mercantile Bank of the Americas, New York City
National Bank of Commerce, Seattle, Washington
National Shawmut Bank, Boston, Mass.

Cable Address, 'BANKASIA"
Shanghai Telephone Central 1825.

Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1918
Head Office: TIENTSIN

Subscribed Capital	$2,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000.00
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000.00

Managing Director: T. Clarence Sun
Deputy Managing Director: Nieh Chi-wei

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang	Yokohama
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha	Chicago
Peking	Wusieh	Shasi	Philadelphia
Hankow	Hsuchow	Wuhu	Seattle
Nanking	Ningpo	London	Baltimore
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York	Cleveland
Hangchow	Canton	San Francisco	Detroit
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston	Buffalo
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio	Pittsburgh
Antung	Chengchow	Osaka	Montreal
Kiukiang	Tsinkiangpu	Kobe	St. Louis
		Cincinatti	

And also in other principal cities in foreign countries.

Shanghai Branch:
8441 Ningpo Road.

Every description of Banking and Exchage business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits, both in taels and dollars, according to arrangement.

Credits granted on ap proved accurities.

Y. R. Sun, Manager
T. D. Zar, Sub-Manager

PARK-UNION
FOREIGN BANKING CORPORATION

Capital G.$4,000,000
Surplus and Undivided Profits G.$754,000

HEAD OFFICE, 56 WALL ST., NEW YORK
BRANCHES:
SAN FRANCISCO SEATTLE
PARIS TOKYO YOKOHAMA
CANADA—400 branches of the Union Bank of Canada

Shanghai Branch: 7 Kiukiang Road, Tel. C. Nos. 5374 & 5375.

CURRENT & FIXED DEPOSITS

Accepted in Taels, Mexican Dollars, U. S. Dollars, Canadian Dollars, Sterling, on Application.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

F. V. REILLY,
Manager.

THE SHANGHAI COMMERCIAL & SAVINGS BANK, LTD.

Condensed Statement of Condition
June 30, 1920

Assets:		Liabilities:	
Loans and Discounts	$3,574,402	Capital	$1,000,000
Bills Receivable	8,393,309	Reserve	120,000
Credit Granted on Acceptances	3,125,331	Deposits	8,507,591
Cash	3,619,706	Drafts Issued	6,199,902
Other Assets	620,908	Liability on Acceptances	3,125,231
		Other Liabilities	380,922
	$19,333,656		$19,333,656

HEAD OFFICE: 9 NINGPO ROAD

HONGKEW BRANCH: 15 NORTH SZECHUEN ROAD

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted

Large Display Advertisements
intended for the Sunday issue of The China Press should be sent in before 5 p.m. on Friday.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

Subscribed Capital	$ 5,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 3 per cent per annum daily balance. On Fixed deposits
For 3 months at 3% per annum
For 6 months at 4% per annum
For 12 months at 6% per annum
On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. C. MARSHALL
Chief Manager

The Chinese American Bank of Commerce

(Formerly Commercial and Industrial Bank of China)

Established by American and Chinese Capitalists under Special Charter of the Government of China issued April 12th, 1919.

Authorized Capital	G.$10,000,000
Paid-up Capital	5,000,000

HEAD OFFICE:
198 Hsi Ho Yen, Peking
President:
The Honorable Chien Nen-sieu
American Vice-President:
James A. Thomas, Esq., Pekin
Chinese Vice President:
Hsu Un-yuan, Esq., Peking

NEW YORK AGENTS:
The Chase National Bank, American Foreign Banking Corporation, and Hayden, Stone &

Branches in China:
Peking, Tientsin, Shanghai, Hankow, Chengtu, and agents in important cities.

Manila Branch:
Manila, P. I.

Current Accounts opened on usual terms. Fixed Deposits received at rates to be ascertained on application. Drafts and Telegraphic Transfers on Foreign exchanges bought and sold. Commercial and Circular Letters of Credit issued. Bills, Checks and other Documents collected. Purchase and Sale of Stocks and Bonds effected. Every description of General Banking Business transacted.

The Bank is closely associated with a number of the leading Financial Institutions in the United States and also prominent Chinese Capitalists in China, and is prepared to give financial facilities to assist its clients in initiating and developing solid commercial and industrial undertakings in China.

Your account will be welcomed at this Bank, where you are assured of absolute security and the most courteous service.

Shanghai Branch:
No. 11 Nanking Road.
Tel. Central Nos. 5841, 5842
H. A. Allen, Manager.
Louis Shen, Assistant Manager
Sooyil K. Shen, Assistant Manager

The Bank of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital	$60,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	$12,979,800
Reserve Fund	$1,298,532
Special Reserve Fund	$1,298,532

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifeng	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

Foreign Correspondents:
London, Paris, New York, Francisco, Tokio, Osaka, Yokoh

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 HANKOW ROAD.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

SUNG HAN-CHANG
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1918.

Mail Notices

MAILS CLOSE

For U.S., Canada and Europe
Per P.M. s.s. Colombia Jan
For Europe
Per P. & O. s.s. Sicilia Dec
For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Takashima
Dec.

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per C.P.O.S. s.s. Montegi
Dec
From Japan
Per M.M. s.s. P. Lecat Dec
From Europe
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo M
Dec.

Financial And Commercial News

BENJAMIN AND POTTS SHARE LIST

Yesterday's Prices

Stock	Quotations Closing
Banks	
H. K and S. B. ..	$800
Chartered	£71½
Russo-Asiatic	Rs. 250
Marine Insurances	
Canton	H.$72½ B.
North China	Tls. 158
Union of Canton..	H.$210 B.
Yangtsze	$22
Far Eastern Ins. Co., Ltd.....	Tls. 18 B.
Fire Insurances	
China Fire	$125 B.
Hongkong Fire....	$318
Shipping	
Indo-China Def....	H.$190
Indo-China Pref...	$22 B.
"Shell"	105/-
Shanghai Tug ord.	Tls. 50
Shanghai Tug pref	Tls. 30 B.
Mining	
Kaiping	Tls. 26
Oriental Cons.....	47/-
Raub	Tls. 1
Docks	
Hongkong Dock .	H.$161 B.
Shanghai Dock ..	Tls. 116 B.
New Eng. Works .	Tls. 22 B.
Wharves	
Shanghai Wharf...	Tls. 135
Hongkong Wharf .	H.$91½ B.
Lands and Hotels	
Anglo-French Land	Tls. 73 B.
Shanghai Land....	Tls. 68 B.
Weihaiwei Land...	Tls. 3
S'hai Hotel Ltd. .	Tls. 55
China Realty (ord.)	Tls. 50
China Realty (pref)	Tls. 50
Cotton Mills	
E-wo (ord.)	Tls. 340 B.
E-wo (pref.)	Tls. 85
Laou-kung-mow....	Tls. 385
Oriental	Tls. 17
Shanghai Cotton .	Tls. 110 S.
Kungyik	Tls. 88½ B.
Yangtszepoo	Tls. 24
Yangtszepoo Pref.	Tls. 80 B.
Industrials	
Butler Tiles	Tls. 25
China Sugar	Tls. 206 B.
Green Island	Tls. 9.40 B.
Langkats	Tls. 14 B.
Major Bros	Tls. 5
S'hai Sumatra	Tls. 98
Stores	
Hall & Holtz	$10
Llewellyn	$30
Lane, Crawford...	$83 B.
Moutrie	$40
Watson	Tls. 7.70 B.
Weeks	$11 B.
Rubbers (Local)	
Alma	Tls. 5
Amherst	Tls. 0.50
Anglo-Java	Tls. 3½ B.
Anglo-Dutch	Tls. 2 B.
Ayer Tawah	Tls. 21
Batu Anam 1913..	Tls. 0.40 B.
Bukit Toh Alang	Tls. 2
Bute	Tls. 0.60
Chemor United....	Tls. 0.50 B.
Chempedak	Tls. 5
Cheng	Tls. 1¾
Consolidated	Tls. 1¾ B.
Dominion	Tls. 4 S.
Gula Kalumpong .	Tls. 5
Java Consolidated	Tls. 7½ B.
Kamunting	Tls. 1¾ B.
Kapala	Tls. 0.20
Kapayang	Tls. 10
Karan	Tls. 7
Kota Bahroe	Tls. 1¾ B.
Kroewoek Java ...	Tls. 13
Padang	Tls. 6½
Pengkalan Durian	Tls. 3
Permata	Tls. 1
Repah	Tls. 0.50
Samagaga	Tls. 0.50 B.
Seekee	Tls. 1
Semambu	Tls. 0.65
Senawang	Tls. 3½
S'hai Klebang	Tls. 0.40 B.
Shanghai Malay ..	Tls. 3
S'hai Malay pref...	Tls. 10
Shanghai Pahang	Tls. 1
Sungala	Tls. 0.50
Sungei Duri	Tls. 4 B.
Sua Manggis	Tls. 3½
S'hai Kalantan ..	Tls. 0.55
S'hai Seremban ..	Tls. 0.60
Taiping	Tls. 0.80
Tanah Merah	Tls. 0.80
Tehong	Tls. 13
Ulobri	Tls. 2¼
Xiangbe	Tls. 2½ B.
Miscellaneous	
C. I. & E. Lumber	Tls. 335
Culty Dairy	Tls. 12
Shanghai Trams .	Tls. 65 B.
Shanghai Gas	Tls. 17 B.
Horse Bazaar	Tls. 40½
Shanghai Mercury	Tls. 25
S'hai Telephone...	Tls. 78
S'hai Waterworks..	Tls. 120

S. Sellers. Ba. Salsa. B. Buyers.

Benjamin and Potts, 8 Jinkee Rd

Telephone No. Central 395

PARIS EXCHANGE

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, December 20.—Exchange quotations:

London	59.75½
New York	17.11½
Blegium	105.½
Spain	219.½
Italy	58.00
Rumania	18.¼
Switzerland	260.00
Greece	123½
Germany	23.00
Netherland	531.00
Vienna	4.00
French War Loans:	
3 percent	56.30
4 „ 1917	68.60
4 „ 1918	69.25
5 „	85.20
5 „ 1920	97.75

Exchange and Bullion

Shanghai, December 21, 1920

Exchange and Bullion

Sovereigns: buying rate, @ 3/11½ = Tls. 5.05
@ exch. 71.9 = Mex. $7.03

Gold Dollars: buying rate @ 69¾ = Tls. 1.43
@ exch. 71.9 = Mex. $1.99

Mex. Dollars: Market Rate 71.675

Shanghai Gold Bars: 998 touch Tls. 310

Bar Silver 998 touch ... Tls. 111

Copper Cash ... per tael 197.500

Native Interest ..... Tls. 12

Latest London Quotations

Bar Silver ..... 40d.

Bank Rate of Discount 7%

Ex., Paris on London..... Fr. 59

Ex., New York on London T.T. G.$3.51¾

Exchange Closing Quotations

London ..... T.T. 3/11½
London ..... Demand 3/11¾
India ..... T.T. 275½
Paris ..... T.T. 1185
Paris ..... Demand 1188
New York ..... T.T. 69½
New York ..... Demand 69¾
Hongkong ..... T.T. 75½
Japan ..... T.T. 69½
Batavia ..... T.T. 221
Singapore ..... T.T. 58¼

Bank's Closing Buying Rates

London ..... Demand 4/1½
London ....4 m/s. Cdts. 4/3½
London ....4 m/s. Docy. 4/4
London ....6 m/s. Cdts. 4/4¾
London ....6 m/s. Docy. 4/5¼
Paris ..... 4 m/s. 1235
New York ... o/d. Docy. 72½
New York ..4 m/s. Docy. 77¼

Tourists' Exchange

● **Bank's Closing Demand buying Rates**

£10 @ exch. 4/1½ = Sh. Tls. 48.48
G.$50 @ exch. 72½ = Sh. Tls. 68.96
Fr. 250 @ exch. 1235 = Sh. Tls.20.24

1 Shanghai Tael = Mex. $1.37 at Bank's selling rate for Mexican Dollars.

ROUBLES EXCHANGE

Today Banks Buying Rate for Roubles:

Roubles 35,000 ..... = Tls. 100
„ 100 .... = Mex. $0.40

Lira Exchange

Shanghai, December 21, 1920

Latest Bank selling Rates:
It. Lire 20.75 = 1 Tael

Equivalent Foreign Quotations:
It. Lire 101.60 = 1 Pound Sterling
It. Lire 28.25 = 1 U.S. Dollar
It. Lire 170.50 = 100 Fr. Francs

BANKS SELLING RATE FOR MARKS

Marks 5,000 ..... = Tls. 100
„ 100 ..... = Mex. $2.80

CUSTOMS HOUSE EXCHANGE RATES FOR DECEMBER

Hk. Tls. 4.08	@	4/4¾	£1
„ 1	@	1273	Fr. 14.18
„ 1.17	@	76¾	Gold $1
„ 1	@	65½	Yen 1.70
„ 1	@	280½	Rs. 3.12
„ 1	@	—	Roubles —
„ 1	@	1.50	Mex. $1.50

Stock Exchange Transactions

Shanghai, December 21, 1920

OFFICIAL

New Eng: Tls. 22.50

UNOFFICIAL

Hall & Holtz $9.00
Yangtsze Insurance $22.00
Kung Yik Cotton Tls. 40.00
Oriental Cotton Tls. 16.50
Shanghai Dock Tls. 118.00

Sharebrokers' Association Transactions

Shanghai, December 21, 1920

UNOFFICIAL

Kaipings (5 share) Tls. 25.00

Chartered Stock And Produce Exchange Ltd.

Closing Quotation Of Transactions yesterday

Shanghai, December 21, 1920

Chinese Bonds 1st year 6%
$14.70 December
$14.90 January

Han-Yeh-Ping Iron & Coal Co.
$26.80 December
$27.10 January

The Nuzu Electric Tramways Co., (preferred)
$19.60 December
(Ordinary)
$16.50 December

The Chartered S. & P. Ex.,
$52.60 December
$53.90 January

Bean Oil for Standard Kee-Chong-Yeen Oil & Co., Shanghai
Tls. 9.65 December
„ 9.90 January
„ 10.20 February

Newchwang Bean
Tls. 3.21 December

Local Yarn for Standard 16's Cloudy Stork
Tls. 130.30 December
„ 128.80 January
„ 129.80 February
„ 131.10 March
„ 131.40 April
„ 131.20 May

Tung Chow Cotton
Tls. 24.10 December
„ 23.60 January
„ 24.35 February
„ 24.60 March
„ 24.75 April
„ 24.80 May

Rubber Prices

Messrs. J. A. Wattie and Company have received the following telegram from Messrs. Barker and Company, Ltd., London dated December 17.

Average Spot price Standard quality Ribbed Smoked Sheet 10¼d.

Average Spot piece Standard quality First Crepe 11¼d.

Market quiet.

FRENCH MARKETS

(French Wireless Service)

Marseilles, December 20:

Rice cleaned..Saigon	105
Green Peas....Japan	120
Potato starch	140

Le Havre, December 19:

Cotton, December	304
Cotton, January	300
Cotton, February	297

Lyons, December 20:

Raw Silks:	
Cevennes	200
Italy	210
Syria	205
Japan	200
China	240
Canton	180

Provisions Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market compiled on December 21, 1920.

Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	„	16-30
Pork	„	25-30
Veal	„	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	„	20-25
Mandarin	„	20-30
Mackerel	„	25-30
Pomfret	„	25-30
Salmon	„	20-25
Samli	„	none
Soles	„	20-24
Whitebait	„	25-30
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.50-$3.00
Duck	„	60-90
Eggs	per doz.	20-24
Hare	each	35-40
Fowl	per lb.	18-20
Geese	each	70-$1.00
Partridge	„	40-45
Pheasant	„	70-90
Plover	each	none
Quail	„	20-22
Snipe	„	18-20
Teal	„	18-20
Turkey	per lb.	40-45
Woodcock	each	50-60
Wild Duck	„	40-45
Wild Geese	„	50-60
Pigeons	„	18-20
Wild Pigeons	„	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	„	20-25
Bananas	„	5-6
Chestnuts	per lb.	12-14
Cherrier	per lb.	none
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	15-20
Lemons	each	5-7
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Oranges	per lb.	7-10
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	„	8-10
Persimmons	„	none
Peeboes	„	none
Plums	„	none
Pumeloes	each	15-18
Pineapples	„	8-10
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	12-14
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per l b.	3-4
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Broad Beans	per lb.	5-6
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	10-12
Cabbage	each	3-5
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	20-30
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	none
French Beans	„	15-18
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	60-80
Onions	„	8-10
Parsnips	per bunch	3-4
Peas	per lb.	18-20
Potatoes	per pic.	$2.00-$2.20
Spinach	per lb.	3-4
Tomatoes	„	8-10
Turnips	per bunch	2-3

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WEATHER

Weather variable but rather fine. Moderate monsoon to the South of Chekiang. Cyclonic breezes around the northery depression.

"Want Ads"

DO you ever read the Want Ads? The other day THE CHINA PRESS printed this one:

COSY comfortable room for bachelor, free. Good board, nice home. Bathroom attached, facing south, 47 Weihaiwei Road.

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Of course the advertiser meant VACANT, and as to whether he or she purposely used the word FREE is still on the laps of the Gods. But the importance of the Want Ads was clearly indicated by the number of inquiries and comments this particular advertisement elicited.

And now we have the story from the Kansas City Post of how the Want Ad elected a woman to Congress—the second woman to be thus honored in the history of the United States. Here's the account of it:

"Miss Alice" is going to Congress. The voters of the second Oklahoma congressional district wished it so by 273 votes and their will is law.

There probably is not another woman like "Miss Alice" in the world. Muskogee is sure there isn't. Oklahoma doesn't think so, either, whether it be that part which fought with or against her last week. Theodore Roosevelt said: "Wherever she is, whatever her surroundings, she is one of the great women of America."

"Miss Alice's" full name is Alice M. Robertson, but only the strangers to Muskogee call her that. Here she is known just as "Miss Alice," proprietor of the Sawokla cafeteria, where a large part of Muskogee eats its noon and evening meals, and holder of a host of other titles too numerous to mention.

Picture a woman, 65 years old, beyond the average height, beyond the average weight. Give her a pair of blue eyes, ruddy cheeks, a firm handclasp, a kindly smile that makes its recipient feel better for getting it. Wrap her white hair in a coil around the top of her head. Dress her in a blue silk waist, fastened at the throat with an emerald bar pin, a blue serge dress, a pair of black lowheeled, comfortable shoes. There you have "Miss Alice" as Muskogee saw her today.

"Miss Alice" is a pioneer of Oklahoma, if ever there was one. The daughter of missionaries to the Greek Indians, she grew up in the "Territory," and all her life has been fighting battles for the Indians, in the "Territory," then the state. The fact that she is to finish her fight in the halls of Congress at Washington, the second woman ever to be elected a national representative, does not frighten her a bit.

Jeanette Rankin of Montana, the first woman congressman and young enough to be "Miss Alice's" daughter, cried when she had to vote on this country's entrance into the war and ended her career and lost herself friends all over the country in the deed. "Miss Alice" won't cry if she ever is up against a similar proposition, and she wouldn't have done it last time.

"We ought to have gotten in long before we did," she said, with conviction today.

"Miss Alice" made her campaign for Congress on want ads—and she put it over. Her opponent, "Bill" Hastings, was one of the most popular congressmen Oklahoma ever has had, even his enemies admit, and he wasn't an easy man to beat, even though Oklahoma joined in the Republican landslide which swept the country. But "Miss Alice" did the deed and outside of one or two speeches and a big barbecue at her country home, Sawokla Farm, August 17, she "did it with her little want ads."

The want ads were the most unique campaign material, and certainly the greatest feature, either the Muskogee Pheonix or the Muskogee Times-Democrat, both Democratic papers and opposed to "Miss Alice," ever ran. Muskogee's citizenry read the ads as religiously as it glanced at the weather forecasts. They are being missed now heartily, like a very popular serial which has reached its happy ending, but which its readers wish would go on and on and on.

All the ads bore the same heading, in bold faced type:

SAWOKLA CAFETERIA
Fourth St., just north of Broadway.
11.15—1.45. 5.00—7.45.
Self Service. No Tips.
Music by Coozan of the Broadway Theater, 12—1.

Then would come comments on events in the cafeteria the day before, mention of particularly good edibles on the present day's menu, discussion of the cafeteria employes, of people in town, and finally of the congressional race, and of national affairs. Generally, at the end, was a Bible quotation, and always the final signature:

ALICE M. ROBERTSON

The ads around election day are typical of all, although they were shorter, as there was no discussion of campaign isues. They follow:

November 2.—(Election Day)—We're very busy this morning sending out lunches for the nineteen precincts in Muskogee city. Tomorrow we shall have more to say. We are glad that people like our brand of food whether they vote for me or not.

November 3.—(When early returns made it appear Hastings had been elected)—We are ready now to get back with full time on the cafeteria. The election so far as I am personally concerned is quite satisfactory, because though at this writing all the returns are not in I am confident of taking my seat in the sixty-seventh congress. (A Bible quotation followed.)

November 4.—I'm so busy shaking hands and reading telegrams and letters that I only can copy for you the following telegram:

8.37 p.m.
Muskogee, Ok., Nov. 3, 1920.
Miss Alice Robertson,
Muskogee, Ok.

The returns received indicate your election to congress from this district and I hasten to congratulate you upon your opportunity to be of service to the district and nation.

Very respectfully yours,
W. W. Hastings.

Of course I am very happy to accept this in the same cordial spirit and good faith in which it was sent, and can only hope to make good.

Alice M. Robertson.

"Miss Alice" sat out at Sawokla ("The Nest") today and talked about herself. She didn't want to do it, because a more naturally modest person cannot be imagined. But a kinder-hearted person cannot be imagined, either, and "Miss Alice" didn't have the heart to tell her interviewers "No," and get the rest she so vitally needs.

Sawokla is a big, beautiful place. A slate and wood house, located on the side of a hill in Honor Heights, a residence district of Muskogee, it looks over a sunlit valley dotted here and there with oil wells, their wisps of smoke rising lazily from their engine houses. On the front porch, sunning herself, lay "Lady Jane," "Miss Alice's" Scotch collie and pet, now that "Bobs" the bulldog and "queen's favorite," has died. Sloping downhill to the right is Sawokla's pasture land, on which graze "Miss Alice's" herd of Jersey cows. In a corner of the field is a gas well, which settles Sawokla's heating problem.

A living room runs the length of the inside of the house. Two gas grates, burning comfortably, divide its right wall and the mantles and tables are dotted with a hundred Indian relics, tom toms, beads, blankets, etc. Three bookcases contain the entire works of Theodore Roosevelt, Scott's Waverly Novels, the poems of Goethe, Schiller, Pope, Hood, Wordsworth, Dryden. Arthur Empey's "Over the Top" stands side by side with that war epic, 'J'Accuse."

A photographer's request to "hold something in her hand" brought out one of "Miss Alice's" hidden delights.

"My Detective Story Magazine," she said without thinking and took up one from the table, which contained three. She blushed like a child when she realised her confession, but she stood by it defiantly.

"I do like detective stories," she admitted. "Now you know my dark secret."

A second request from the photographer led to the naming of one, and later, her three pet aversions.

"Please cross your feet," he asked.

She moved them close together.

"Cross them, if you will, "Miss Alice," he insisted.

"No," she answered. "There are some things I won't do. I was raised never to cross my feet, and I'm going to stay that way."

"I've never had on a pair of silk stockings and I will not wear high-heeled shoes," she continued. "I wore them when I was young but I think they're injurious to the health and—never again!"

"Miss Alice" hopes that her election to congress will not bring forth the storm of proposals that her appointment as postmistress did.

"I'm 65, you know," she said. "That ought to protect me."

She laughed at the mail order proposal she got immediately after Mr. Roosevelt named her to the Muskogee berth. A man who admitted he had a flock of children and a $12 a month pension asked her to marry him, saying the $12 a month would keep him and she doubtless could provide a good home for the young ones.

A more persistent suitor wrote that he was 35 years old, good looking and "had a splendid education."

"What have you to offer?" he asked breezily in conclusion.

"Miss Alice" offered her age, then considerably in excess of 35.

"That makes no difference," the "would-be-wed" wrote in reply.

"Answer this letter," "Miss Alice" told her assistant postmaster, a man, handing him the by-this-time bothersome correspondence.

It was at this stage of her narration that a newspaper telephoned all the way from Oklahoma City to ask her what she intended to do "about the recognition of Russia."

"What in the world have I to do with the 'recognition of Russia?'" she demanded in amazed response. "I don't even sit in congress until a year from this December. I have my own idea of right and wrong, and that, with extensive study, is going to be my guide on all actions."

"Please don't ask me such foolish questions," she begged. "I'm just one of the national army going to the training camp. They won't send me up to the trenches until I know how to fight."

"Are you 'wet' or 'dry?' was the next query.

"I've been a total abstinence society member all my life," she responded. "My parents were missionaries, and missionaries to the Indians don't love liquor."

"Miss Alice" said she is going to Washington to fight for four classes, women and children, Indians and soldiers. Intensely religious, she knows her Bible thoroughly."

"I will try to make good," she explained, with almost a light that beseeched in her eye. "I believe I shall make good because of the women who are praying for me."

"Miss Alice" was vice-president of the Oklahoma Anti-Suffrage League, and, despite her election to congress, still will fight against women having the votoe. She fought equal suffrage so does not believe the women should have the last, she says, and the records support her. Her argument against women voting is a simple one.

"If they can trust men to handle their money, they can trust men to vote," she said. 'Hetty Green was the only woman of exceptional wealth that managed her own estate, and Hetty Green was abnormal.'"

Her reason for her determination to have a man secretary when she reaches Washington is as understandable.

"I'll have to have a man to keep the balance," she pointed out. "There are many things that are difficult to take up with a woman, and that's a handicap we will obviate.

"Miss Alice" says there are three "I Ams" which have guided her life. The third, of course, is very subservient to the second, and the third and second completely below the first. They are:

I am a Christian.
I am an American.
I am a Republican.

Her proudest possession is the following letter framed on her wall:

The White House,
Washington,
December 9, 1903.

My Dear Miss Robertson:

I have your letter of the 7th inst. There isn't any reason at all for you to feel grateful. I renominated you as a matter of course, because I feel that you are just the type of good citizen whom I want in the public service.

With all good wishes, believe me,

Faithfully yours,
Theodore Roosevelt.

"Miss Alice" has just one fault, if fault it may be called. She is working too hard, not resting, giving all her time to her friends, none to herself. This characteristic would seem to be inborn in her, but it must not be indulged at the expense of her health.

If an interviewer who enjoyed a day of her hospitality, and there is no greater, might make one request he would ask:

"Please, 'Miss Alice,' rest up!"

It is so vitally important. She has not averaged three hours sleep a night this week and her eyes looked it. A cross section of her life Friday was a nightmare. It included breakfast at 6:30, a bowl of soup at 2, a bite of dinner at 7 o'clock. The rest of the day Republican meetings, teachers' meeting, visitors, phone call, "the cafeteria cook is mad," "How much meat shall I prepare for supper?" telegrams, letters, "Do you want to take any eggs into town?" "Tulsa wants you on long distance," "Do you want me to save any of the Jerseys' milk?"

When scanning through almost a hundred congratulatory letters and telegrams, she came upon one petition from the postoffice employees signed by those who had worked for her.

It was phrased simply, but the love and respect of men for a woman were there, and all who came could read.

"Tom, Dick, George, Frank," she scanned down the list softly. "My boys——"

She wasn't Representative A. M. Robertson of Muskogee, Ok. She was just "Miss Alice," in her little Sawokla cafeteria.

Tears shone in the tired blue eyes and her lips trembled betrayingly.

"My boys——" she whispered, and she dabbed at her cheeks with a ball of a handkerchief.

A MODERN SANTA CLAUS

An advert. appearing in yesterday's press reads:

FREE CHRISTMAS GIFTS
Will extract Teeth painless free of charge till Christmas Day
DR. J. ALVAREZ

In other words looking a gift horse in the mouth.

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CORRESPONDENCE

John Murray is publishing the correspondence of Charlotte Grenville, Lady Williams Wynn and her three sons. The pages of the book are as amusing as they are interesing. The lady is very ready on all occasions to repeat the current spicy gossip, an example of which may be found in the squib composed on the occasion of the marriage of Lord Rolle, aged seventy-two:

How happens it that Rolle at seventy-two—
Stale Rolle!—Louisa to the altar led?
The case is neither strange nor new—
She took the Rolle for want of bread.

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LINES FROM BOOKS

The Sayings of Mrs. Solomon.

"A woman keepeth a bundle of love letters tied in faded ribbons; but a man cleaneth his pipe bowl cheerfully with the stem of the rose which the girl-before-the-last hath worn in her hair."

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"A woman recollecteth each pet name by which she hath been called. She alloweth no Two men to label her alike. But unto a man *every* woman becometh in turn 'Little girl' or 'Baby' or 'Honey.'"

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"There is a kiss that sootheth and a kiss that thrilleth, the kiss that flattereth, and the kiss that is a pastime. But the best of all kisses is the first kiss; for it is the most difficult."

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"Unto a woman the first kiss is but a start in the love chase, but unto a man it is often the finish."

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"Verily, when a woman clingeth unto single blessedness, it is because she hath met no man with whom she could endure to live; but when a man remaineth a bachelor it is because he hath met no woman without whom he cannot live."

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"A man weddeth a woman in order to escape loneliness, and immediately thereafter joineth a club to escape the woman."

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"A woman is cast down with doubts lest a man doth not love her: but a man never troubleth his soul as to whether or not a woman loveth him, but as to whether or not he wanteth her to love him."

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REVERTING TO TYPE

I wrote in these columns a few days ago that the popular comedienne, Miss Connie Ediss, after being inoculated with monkey's thyroid glands, said that she felt so young and frisky that she wanted to climb trees.

"There was a cute actress named Ediss,
Who said, "A new life this indeed is!"
Yet we still hope that she
Will be ne'er up a tree,
Whatever the lure of the breed is!

* * *

WOMAN!

Little Boy: "Mother, are there any *men* angels in heaven?"

Mother: "Why, certainly, my dear,"

Little boy: "But, mother, I never saw any pictures of angels with whiskers."

Mother: "No, dear, men get in by a close shave."

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ON DIT

That falling prices in America are drawing the tears out of profiteers.

That when you see some of the pictures of Russian Bolsheviks you feel somehow that a good deal of the red might come out in the wash.

That those who declare that Scotland will go DRY in the next five years may be ignorant of the fact that two thousand years is the earliest date set so far by scientists for the end of the world.

That one thing that causes a CHICKEN to cross the road is a shop with a good sized mirror in it.

From Various Tit Bits

SERVIA RECOVERING

By HORTENSE McDONALD

Servia's prompt economic readjustment after years of disorganisation, accomplished without outside aid, except for the assistance of a group of American engineers, was related yesterday by Colonel William G. Atwood, technical adviser to the Government of the Serbs, Croats and Slovenes, who has just returned.

"With starvation and pestilence raging in neighboring States, Servia has been able, through careful management, to conserve her food supply, rebuild her railroads and stabilise her government to an extent that the situation gives assurance of a bright future," he said. "Her prosperity, contrasted with other powers in Central Europe, is very marked at this time.

"There are about 3,500 miles of railroad in the kingdom, of which about 400 were totally destroyed by the Germans at the time of their evacuation. In the section between Belgrade and Saloniki, all track, switches, bridges and buildings were destroyed. The systems were originally designed to carry commerce to Budapest and Vienna and were not therefore suitably located for the needs of the new government. There was not means of transportation between Belgrade and the frontiers.

"The Serbs lost no time in getting to work. Temporary bridges were built, with little advice from the foreign engineers, and, despite the fact that there was no machinery and the work had to be done by hand, the job was a good one. It our duty to advise them on the design and needs of a transportation system that would include all the old lines and give them what they needed for their new boundaries.

"Of course it will take a long time to rehabilitate the railroads. Commerce is practically at a standstill because there are no means of transportation. Servia needs locomotives and cars badly. She has a million tons of food supplies ready for export but no locomotives to haul it and no port from which it can be transported. The country is also capable of producing more coal than the railroads can handle.

"Servia's great problem is the lack of an outlet to the sea. We made two reconnaisance trips over the mountains from Belgrade to the Adriatic with a view to building railroad lines and found that such lines could be built with comparatively easy grades and light construction. There are two good ports besides Fiume where these lines could terminate—Spalato and Cattaro."

Colonel Atwood is one of several advisers who stayed in Europe after the armistice to help the stricken countries during reconstruction. The others were Colonel William B. Causey, who was assigned to Austria, and Colonel A. B. Barber to Poland, both of whom will remain another year, and Colonel W. B. Ryan, Czecho-Slovakia, who arrived here a few weeks ago but has returned to Europe as Vice-President of the United States Shipping Corporation. The duties of each of these representatives varied in the different countries. Relief work under Herbert Hoover was an important part of their mission. Colonel Atwood was in command of the 17th Engineers at St. Nazaire during the war.

"The popularity of Prince Alexander in Servia," he continued, "has been an important factor in establishing the confidence of the people in the new kingdom. He lives quietly in a small house in Belgrade, across the street from the old palace, now remodeled and used as a Parliament House. The new palace, almost totally destroyed by the Germans, has not been rebuilt. King Peter, nearly 80 years old and totally deaf, has been in retirement at a villa in the suburbs, since the return of the Serbs to their capital.

"Food conditions are excellent in the kingdom. The territory north of the Danube is very fertile, and the cattle there are gradually being distributed over the whole country. There is almost no milk, however, except that sent in by the American Relief Administration for European Children's Fund. The territory along the Adriatic is extremely short of food, due to the fact that there are no means of transporting it from the fertile districts. Italian occupation of the important ports along the coast has made it impossible to reach those people from the sea.

"Montenegro, being a barren territory, is in very bad shape, but the Red Cross is now feeding the children with food supplied by the Hoover organisation. The Children's Fund is doing some feeding along the coast, but the work is seriously handicapped because of lack of transportation.

"The Serbs, Croats and Slovenes are gradually getting together. The gain is noticeable, although slow. This can readily be understood where there are so many different branches of the Slav race to be welded together. The new kingdom is made up of parts of Austria, Hungary and the two independent kingdoms of Servia and Montenegro.

"Man power is very low. The Superintendent of the railroad shop at Nish told me that 50 percent of the prewar personnel had been killed and 30 percent crippled. This necessitates importing and training new labor, a very difficult task in Europe today. Even at that, the situation in Servia is one of the most hopeful in Central Europe. Living conditions in Belgrade are fairly good. Like other European capitals, the city is suffering from a housing shortage, as the population has doubled and more than a third of the houses were destroyed during the war. It is very expensive living there, but one can get all the comforts to be found in other cities if he has the money to pay."

A Fresh Start

The agreement between Italy and Jugo-Slavia on the Adriatic question is one of the most important and encouraging events since the end of the war. It means a good deal that two nations which are rather more inclined than most to stand on points of honor have settled by friendly negotiation a question of the highest importance to both, especially since more than once war seemed inevitable. The fact of settlement is important, but the spirit which is officially expressed by both sides is still more important, if the expressions are sincere. The Jugo-Slav delegation announces that "the spirit of conciliation on the part of the delegations of the two countries assures the future peace of Central Europe and the Balkans." Mr. Giolitti says that there is no longer a clash of interests between the two peoples, and relations will be cordial.

If this is a true prophecy, the details of the agreement are of little importance. Fiume, for example, belongs to Italy—and it will certainly go to Italy before very long—on nationalist grounds. The argument against assigning it to Italy was the fear that Italian occupation would mean discrimination against the trade of the countries for which it served as a port. If the happy temper which animated the leaders of the two nations just after the conclusion of the agreement endures, there will be no danger of that. Slavs in Istria and Italians in Dalmatia will find it easy to get along with their new rulers if the spirit prevalent just now is carried over into the years to come.

This same spirit did prevail in the Spring of 1918, and for a few months it seemed almost as if the Adriatic problem had disappeared. It has not disappeared yet, but it may disappear if the two peoples live up to the example set them by their Governments. The economic agreement which is to complete the work of the conference should enable Italian industry and Jugo-Slav agriculture to supplement each other, and the way is once more open for Italy to win much the same commercial position in the Balkans that Germany held before the war.

Things are already going better in the Balkan-Danube area. The Little Eentente seems likely to include, before long, Greece and Bulgaria and perhaps Poland. If the Christian Socialists in Austria are reasonable, Austria might be able to get in before long; the admission of Hungary is hardly to be expected without a change of government, and of heart. But there is nothing exclusive about the new arrangement; apparently it is open to any State which convinces its neighbors that it wants to stop war and begin business. It is in effect a little League of Nations, and of nations which are largely dependent on one another. The disappearance of the Adriatic war cloud removes one of the most serious menaces to the recovery of Southeastern Europe and reflects credit on all the men who were concerned in the agreement. There is glory enough for all; Giolitti is credited with the victory, but we should not forget Nitti, who through a long and troubled year worked harder than anybody else for an acceptable settlement, and at least kept the wild men from pushing the two nations into war.

No Need For Grace

Mother always kept little Tommy up to the scratch in the matter of grace before meals, and she made no difference when she took him to tea with her one afternoon at a restaurant.

She said to Tommy, after the waitress had served the tea:

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?
ALL HE'LL NEED IS A CROW-BAR!!
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Far East News Notes

SHINTO PRIESTS WILL STUDY SOCIAL PROBLEMS

The Bureau of Shinto Shrines of the Home Department has decided to hold a lecture meeting from December 17 to 26 for Shinto priests in Japan with a view to promote their better understanding of social conditions and modern thoughts. This is the first attempt of the Government toward the edification of the Shinto priests, according to Japanese papers.

The graduates of the Kokugakuin University and the Shigu Kogakukan, or other Shinto priests who have the scholarships of the same grade, may be admitted to the course, which will cover all sorts of social problems. Secretary Toshida of the Shrines Bureau has said that in view of the progress of the community there is a large field for the activities of the Shinto priests, whose knowledge heretofore has been limited to the study of the Kojiki and other Japanese classics. We hope, he is quoted as saying, that those priests, after acquiring the necessary knowledge on social problems and other practical affairs, will do much in promoting the welfare of the country.

'HOCHI' SAYS BRITAIN IS AGAINST CALIFORNIA

Great Britain has sent a note to America, it is reported, supporting the Japanese protest against the anti-Japanese land law of California, according to the Hochi. On receipt of this news, we feel as if we were bewitched by a fox, the newspaper says and continues: It is true that Japan is negotiating with America regarding the conclusion of a new treaty, but we have never heard that Japan has protested to America in any sense whatever.

Nor is it easy to believe that Great Britain should go out of his way to embroil herself in the Japanese-American dispute. But we are convinced that if Japan breaks off the negotiations for a foolish treaty, as is generally recognised, and squarely presents a protest against the improper legislation of America, she will be able to enlist the support of not only Great Britain but the whole world.

The fact is that the situation is growing worse owing to the ineffective policy of the present Cabinet.

CHINESE BOLSHEVIKS FOUND IN YOKOHAMA

Two Chinese teachers of a Chinese primary school at Yamashitacho, Yokohama, had been circulating Bolshevist propaganda through their students, says the Jiji.

During the absence of Mr. Li, principal of the school, and other teachers of the school last summer, one of them, Hunang Hung-i printed by a copying-machine circulars on Bolshevism and Communism and gave them to students for circulation.

Another colleague, converted by Huang, took to the same measure. The circulars were discovered by the fathers of the students, at which the principal dismissed the two teachers from the school and burned the papers.

When the police station at Kagacho, Yokohama, was informed Huang had already taken refuge in Shanghai. It is rumored that the collaborator is still lurking in Tokio and the Metropolitan Police is engaged in the hunting after the culprit.

HONGKONG PREACHER LEAVING FOR HOME

The Rev. G. J. Williams, the Australasian Secretary of the London Missionary Society, who for the past eight months has been spending a portion of his furlough in ministering to the members and congregation of Union Church, of which he was formerly Pastor concludes his ministry on Sunday next. On the following Tuesday he leaves Hongkong on a month's visit to Central and North China prior to sailing to England from Shanghai on January 21.

Mr. and Mrs. Williams were the recipients of a silver-mounted blackwood tray on a folding stand, upon which was engraved in silver a representation of Union Church, subscribed for by the members of the Church. The presentation took place in the presence of a large gathering, presided over by Mr. J. L. McPherson.

GEN. CROZIER TO EXTEND STAY IN PEKING AND CHINA

Major-General Crozier and Mrs. Crozier plan to remain in Peking until the first of the year, when they will visit Shanghai and then Manila, possibly returning to Peking in the Spring and spending more time before passing on Wes on their way around the world. The Major-General knows the country well, as he was chief ordinance officer of the American contingent in the Boxer uprising. Mrs. Crozier is very much taken with Peking, and China generally, and desires to extend her stay in the Capital and other parts of the country.

CHINESE IN AMERICA BLAMED BY JAPANESE

Dr. Juichi Soeda, one of the promoters of the Conference-American Question, warns his countrymen through the Yomiuri of the danger accruing from putting too much stock in the result of the negotiations now going on between Ambassador Shidehara and the American Government regarding the anti-Japanese question.

Nothing is a greater mistake, says Dr. Soeda, than to think that the promise of the American Government to respect the acquired rights of the Japanese resident in the matter of ownership of land.

Giving the reasons for interpreting the situation thus, Doctor Soeda points out among other things the fact that during the negotiations not a single reference was made to the question of the naturalisation of Japanese.

According to Doctor Soeda, the American opposition to the idea of Japanese immigration is a flat denial of the spirit of the American Constitution, an opposition, which in the opinion of the writer, in part owes its origin to the machinations of anti-Japanese Chinese in America. "America is going through a fit of Japanese peril, and one of the symptoms of the disease is seen in the view held by many Americans that the Japanese have adopted militarism after the manner of Germany."

Considering the question of how to remove from the American mind the misunderstandings about the Japanese and the intentions of the Japanese Government, Doctor Soeda insists on the inauguration of a propagada campaign for making Americans understand the true facts about Japan.

He, however, does not shut his eyes to the necessity for the Japanese at large to improve their qualities so that they may claim the right to treatment with the best elements of Western people.

The existence of undesirable Japanese in the United States has proved an obstacle in the way of smooth relationship between Japan and America, he says.

JAPANESE-SIBERIAN TRADE PACT LIKELY

Recognition by Japan of the new Siberian Government at Chita and the negotiation of a formal trade agreement with the Chita regime are possibilities of the near future, according to the Tokio papers. The trade agreement with Chita may be the forerunner of negotiations for such an agreement with the Moscow Soviet as the British Government is now negotiating.

A formal announcement of the Japanese policy toward the establishment of trade relations with Siberia is expected as soon as Mr. Watanabe, the Japanese Consul in Chita, reaches Tokio. Mr. Watanbe, sent to Chita to study this question, is now on his way home to make a report, according to the Chugai Shogyo.

There is now no formal trade understanding between Japan and the Siberian Government but, according to the Chugai, a small trade is already being carried on.

The Jiji expresses the opinion that the Japanese Government, despite the Communistic leanings of the Chita Government, is likely to consider relations with that government entirely apart from the question of relations with the Moscow Soviet, and may recognise the Chita regime shortly. Japan will insist, however, that the Chita Government be conducted along democratic lines and that the principle of private property shall be firmly recognised.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Ch'.	Br.	CSA	Fr.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY.							
Hongkong	Awa Maru	..	10.30	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok & Siberia	Via P. & S.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Chefoo	Chinkiang	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
Hongkong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Awa Maru	9.00	..	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Yungshin	..	8.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Chungking	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Swatow and Hongkong	Tungshing	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Japan Ports	Kasuga Maru	10.30	10.30				10.00
Nagasaki	do					11.00	10.30
Marseilles & L'pool	Awa Maru					9.30	9.00
Ningpo	Hsin Peking	..	18.00	..	..	..	..
Chentain	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW.							
Amoy	Ichang	..	8.30	..	..	..	..
Amoy	do	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Hongkong and Canton	Sunning	13.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Tshima Maru	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Vladivostok and Siberia	Via P. & S.	17.00	..	..	..	..	17.00
Swatow, H'kong & C'ton	Tungshing	9.30	..	..	..	..	9.00
Swatow, H'kong & C'ton	Kungping	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Hongkong	Sunning		12.30				
Friday, December 24.							
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	Iyo Maru	15.30					15.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.	19.00					18.30
Swatow & Hongkong	Yunnan	..	8.30	..	..	..	..
Hongkong	Iyo Maru	..	15.30	..	..	..	..
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Japan Ports	Chikugo M.		17.00	..	..	..	..
Dalny	Sakaki Maru	8.00	..	..	..	..	7.30
Amoy	Ichang	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Hongkong and Canton	Yunnan	9.00	..	..	..	..	8.30
Saturday, December 25							
Swatow and Hongkong	Tean	..	9.30	..	..	..	..
Chefoo and Tientsin	Yusang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Australia & New Zealand via Hongkong	Tean		9.30				
Swatow, H'kong, C'ton	do	9.30	..	..	..	..	9.00
Monday, December 27.							
H'kong, S. Ports, Straits Ceylon, India & Europe Via Suez	Sicilia	..	C12.00	..	..	..	12.00
do	Amazone	..	16.30	..	..	..	16.00
H'kong, Straits, India & Europe via Suez	do	16.30	..	..	..	..	16.00
do	Sicilia	12.00	..	..	..	..	11.30
U.S.A. via S. Francisco	*W. Carmona	17.00	..	..	..	..	
Tuesday, December 28.							
Marseilles, Ports	Amazone				A8.00		
Wednesday, December 29.							
Hongkong	Shantung		10.30	..	..	..	

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SWATOW, HONGKONG AND CANTON.—The Str. Kungping, Capt. Hansen, will leave on Friday, morning, Dec. 24. For Freight or Passage, apply to C.M.S.N. Co.

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SWATOW, H'KONG & C'TON.—China Navigation Co.'s Str. Yunnan, Capt. Martion, will leave on Friday, Dec. 24, at 10 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

HONGKONG & CANTON.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Tean, Captain Wm. McDonald, will leave from the French Bund on Saturday, Dec. 25, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

For Northern Ports

CHEFOO & DAIREN.—The China Navigation Co.'s Str. Chinkiang, Capt. B. A. Thomson, will leave on Wednesday, Dec. 22, at 9 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents. Tel. No. 77.

VLADIVOSTOK DIRECT.—The s.s. Yungshin, Captain Poolga, will be despatched from Shanghai on Wednesday, December 22. The tender Conveying mail and Passengers will leave the French Mail Jetty on Wednesday at 9 a.m. For freight or passage, apply to L. V. Lang, No. 8 French Bund (Tel. Nos. Central 4702 and 3059).

TSINGTAO.—The China Navigation Co.'s Steamer Yingchow, Captain G. W. Eldy, will leave from the Watung Wharf on Saturday, December 25, at 11 a.m. For Freight or Passage, apply to BUTTERFIELD & SWIRE, Agents French Bund. Freight Tel. No. 77, Passage Tel. No. 401.

CHINWANGTAO direct, taking through cargo for transportation by railway to Tientsin: The Kailan Mining Administration, will despatch the s.s. Kwangping on Dec. 27, 1920. For Freight or Passage, apply to Agent, 1 Jinkee Road Tel. Central 1114.

Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the L. V. Lang s.s. Yungshin will leave the French Mail Jetty at 9 a.m.

Friday, December 24, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 a.m.

Tuesday, December 28, 1920

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Amazone will leave the M.M. Jetty (French Bund) at 9 a.m.

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date		From	Ships Name	Flag	Agents
Nov.	26	Cruise	Pacific	Dan.	G.N.T. Co.
Nov.	27	Japan	Memnon	Br.	B. & S.
Nov.	27	Chefoo	Astrakan	Rus.	R.V.F.
Dec.	7	Cebu	Celtic Prince	Br.	S. Tomes & Co
Dec.	7	Tientsin, ports	Mingshun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co
Dec.	12	Cruise	Ship	Chi.	Customs
Dec.	13	Hongkong	Edgehill	Am.	S. & Dr.
Dec.	13	.....	Eurymedon	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	14	Hankow, etc.	Kian	Chi	C.M.S.N Co
Dec.	15	Foochow	Kienhsin	Chi.	W. & Co.
Dec.	15	Japan	Tenri Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	16	Vladivostok	Erivan	Rus.	R.V.F.
Dec.	17	.....	Ralph Moller	Br.	M. & Co.
Dec.	18	Japan	Anyo M.	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	18	Hongkong	Borneo	Dut.	H C. T. Co
Dec.	18	Nanking	Yenoura Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	19	Tientsin	Kaho	Chi.	J. T. Co.
Dec.	19	Trieste	Nippon	Ital.	L.T.S.N. Co.
Dec.	19	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	[illegible]
Dec.	19	Hankow, etc.	Tatung	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	19	Hankow, etc.	Tachang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Dec.	19	Hankow	Tseangtah	Br.	C.I. & E.L. Co.
Dec.	19	Hankow	Meifoo	Am.	Socony.
Dec.	10	United Kingdom	Laomedon	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	19	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Dec.	19	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	19	Japan	Alaska M.	Jap.	O. S. K.
Dec.	19	Japan	Takaosan Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	19	Amoy	Commissia	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	19	Dairen	Tseanglee	Chi.	J. T. Co.
Dec.	20	Japan	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec.	20	Japan	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec.	20	Japan	Wakanoura Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K
Dec.	20	Vladivostok	Yungshin	Chi.	L.V. Lang
Dec.	20	Foochow	Shawhsing	Chi	N.S.S.N. Co.
Dec.	20	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	20	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec.	20	Hankow, etc.	Siangyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Dec.	20	.....	Fakwo	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	20	Japan	Kamitsu M.	Jap.	
Dec.	20	.....	Shinping	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co
Dec.	21	Japan	Daitoku Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	21	Chinwangtao	Shinon	Chi.	K.M.A.
Dec.	21	Japan	Awa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec.	21	Foochow	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec.	21	Swatow	Hanyang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	21	Tientsin	Yushuh	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Dec.	21	Hongkong	West Neris	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Dec.	21	.....	Mesopotamia	Br.	
Dec.	21	Hongkong	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	21	Japan	Fuso Maru	Jap.	M.B.K.
Dec.	21	Japan	Remeo	Br.	J. M. & Co
Dec.	21	Hongkong	Hopeang	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec.	21	Tsingtao	Anshin M.	Jap.	H.H. Co.
Dec.	21	.....	Hungkiang	Chi.	
Dec.	21	Hankow, etc	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec.	21	Hankow, etc	Tatsu Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Dec.	21	Tientsin	Weishun	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec.	21	Chinkiang	Yunnan	Br.	B. & S.
Dec.	21	Hongkong	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
B.N.B.	Dec. 6	Bee	Br. gun-boat
B VIII		Chitose	Jap. gun-boat
F N B	Oct. 21	Destrees	Fr. cruiser
P. & O. B. I.	Nov. 25	Fox Glove	Br. gunboat
	Dec. 20	Kinaha	Br. gun-boat
U. S. N. B.	Nov. 20	New Orleans	Am. cruiser
	Nov. 17	Pingching	Chi. rev. cr.
1 C.	Nov. 8	Seb. Caboto	Ital. gunboat
E B W	Nov. [illegible]	Toba	Jap. gun-boat

Information For Mariners

WEDNESDAY, DECEMBER 22, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are nearly equal at about 4 and 5 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/4 h.

A.M. Time	A.M. Range	P.M. Time	P.M. Range
9h. 23m.	6ft. 2in.	9h. 56m.	4ft. 5in.

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The day tides are higher than the night tides).

Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H.	A.M. M.	P.M. H.	P.M. M.
7	53	8	24

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
2 11 p.m.	2 59 a.m.	6h. 55m.	5h. 0m.	6h. 10m.	5h. 45m.

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For December 30.38in.
769.0mm.

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TSURUGA MARU	15,000	Capt. B. Takano,	Jan. 6
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WAKANOURA MARU	5,500	Capt. J. Fujisawa,	Dec. 31

FOR KOBE AND OSAKA VIA MOJI (Osaka may be omitted).

CHIKUGO MARU	5,500	Capt. M. Tsuruga,	Dec. 25
YAMASHIRO MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Saito,	Dec. 29
YAWATA MARU	7,000	Capt. S. Shinohara,	Jan. 1
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Shipping Items

The Adl. Line s.s. Duquesne left New York for Manila on December 9.

The I-C. s.s. Yusang is due in Shanghai from Tientsin and Chefoo tomorrow.

The Adl. Line s.s. Schodack left Honolulu for Yokohama on Monday, December 13.

The I-C. s.s. Luenho left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Poyang left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Yingchow left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.M. s.s. Feiching left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hsinchi left Foochow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Suiwo left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.N. s.s. Luenyi left Hankow for Shanghai on Monday.

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.S. s.s. Ningshao left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The I-C. s.s. Waishing left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Szechuen left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.N. s.s. Tean left Tsingtao for Shanghai yesterday.

The N.Y.K. s.s. Chikugo Maru left Moji for Shanghai on Monday and is due at the N.Y.K. Wharf today.

The M.M. s.s. Docteur Pierre Benoit, from Antwerp, London and Middlesborough, left Colombo on Thursday and is expected to arrive in Shanghai about January 15.

The I-C. s.s. Kutwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Chekiang will leave Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Choysang is due in Shanghai from Pukow tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Wingsang is due in Shanghai from Canton, Hongkong and Swatow on Friday.

The S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru is due in Shanghai from Dairen and Tsingtao tomorrow morning and will sail for same ports on Friday at 10 a.m. The tender with passengers and mails will leave the Customs Jetty at 9 o'clock.

The P. and O. s.s. Dilwara, from Bombay on December 13, is expected to sail from Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Friday.

The M.M. s.s. Andre Lebon which arrived in Shanghai from Marseilles Sunday will leave the S.M.R. Whangpoo Wharf for Kobe and Yokohama at 9 o'clock this morning.

The C.P.O.S. s.s. Monteagle, from Vancouver, is expected to arrive in Shanghai on December 27.

The S.P. s.s. Shinfoo left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday morning.

The S.P. s.s. Hwahkuei left Dairen for Amoy on Sunday.

The L.T. s.s. Nippon which arrived in Shanghai from Trieste Sunday, will sail for Japan at noon today.

The S.P. s.s. Tehhsing will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The I-C. s.s. Tuckwo will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Sinkiang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Shuntien will leave Tientsin for Chefoo, Weihaiwei and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Taishun left Tientsin for Chefoo and Shanghai on Monday.

The I-C. s.s. Tungshing is due in Shanghai from Tsingtao today.

The I-C. s.s. Koonshing is due in Shanghai from Canton and Hongkong on Saturday.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Rhesus from United Kingdom, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai on Sunday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Dryden arrived at Hongkong from Shanghai on December 17.

The P. and O. s.s. Plassy, from London on November 12, is expected to leave Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday, the 26th.

The K.M.A. s.s. Kwangping left Chinwangtao for Shanghai on Monday.

The Adl. Line s.s. City of Berkeley arrived at Hongkong from Manila on December 18.

The Adl. Line s.s. Pawlet arrived in Portland from Hakodate on December 17.

The Adl. Line s.s. City of Spokane arrived at Batavia from Manila on December 17.

The Adl. Line s.s. Eastern Cloud arrived at Manila from Dairen on Sunday and sailed for Port Said on Monday, the 20th.

The Adl. Line s.s. Montague left Shanghai for Hongkong on Sunday.

The Adl. Line s.s. Eldena left Singapore for Port Said on Sunday.

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Siccawei Weather Reports

20.—The two depressions are moving away to the Pacific; two new low centers appear, the one in Mongolia, the other to the SE of Guam. Very variable breezes to the E of the 125th meridian; monsoon to the S of the Saddles. Fine weather, still with high mist in our Valley; overcast in the S provinces; rainy at Guam.

21.—The pressure has fallen considerably. The breeze continues to back to the S. Weather still fine and little milder.

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Dec. 31	—	Vancouver	Methven	Br.	C.P.O.S.
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Jan. 10	—	New York	Eurana	Am.	S. & Dix
Jan. 14	—	New York	Agamemnon	Br.	B. & S.
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Jan. 15	—	Seattle	Deuel	Am.	S. & Dix
Jan. 15	—	Vancouver	†E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Jan. 16	—	San Francisco	†Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Jan. 16	—	San Francisco	†Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Jan. 18	—	New York	Tuscan Prince	Br.	P. Line
Jan. 20	—	Los Angeles	West Hixon	Am.	L.A.P.N. Co.
Jan. 21	—	New York	Gaelic Prince	Br.	P. Line
Jan. 22	—	Vancouver	†E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Jan. 25	—	New York	Bolton Castle	Br.	Dod & Co.
Jan. 28	—	San Francisco	†Nile	Am.	China Mail
Jan. 29	—	San Francisco	†Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 30	—	Seattle, ports	Kashima M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 10	—	San Francisco	Shinyo Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Feb. 15	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Dec. 22	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Kasuga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 22	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 22	9.00*	Kobe & Y'hama	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Dec. 22	noon	Kobe	Nippon	Ital.	L.T.S.N. So.
Dec. 24	—	N'saki, K., Y'hama	Takeshima Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 25	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Dec. 28	—	Kobe	Kaga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 29	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yamashiro M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 31	—	K'saki, K., Y'hama	Wakanoura M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Jan. 1	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Jan. 13	—	Kobe, Yokohama	Pilsna	Ital.	L. Triest

FOR EUROPE INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Dec. 22	—	Liverpool, ports	Awa Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 25	—	London, ports	Iyo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Dec. 27	—	London, ports	†Sicilia	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Dec. 28	9.00*	Marseilles, ports	†Amazone	Fr.	M.M. Cie
Dec. 30	—	Liverpool, ports	Alcinous	Br.	B. & F.
Dec. 31	—	Java ports	Tjibodas	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Dec. 31	—	Hamburg, ports	Havre Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Jan. 3	—	London, ports	Atsuta Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Jan. 6	—	Liverpool, ports	Tsuruga Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Jan. 6	—	Liverpool	Hector	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 7	—	Hamburg, etc.	Rhesus	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 10	—	Marseilles, ports	†Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Jan. 10	—	Trieste, ports	Nippon	Ital.	L. Triest.
Jan. 12	—	Singapore, ports	Mattawa	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Jan. 14	—	Genoa	Masaniello	Br.	Dod. & Co.
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Jan. 18	—	Rotterdam, ports	Borneo	Dut.	H. C. T. Co.
Jan. 20	—	Hamburg, ports	Ondfa	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 21	—	Scandinavia	Chile	Dan.	E.A. Co.
Jan. 27	—	Liverpool, ports	Anchises	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 28	—	London, ports	Glenluce	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Jan. 31	—	London, ports	†Delta	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Feb. 2	—	London, ports	Glenada	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Feb. 2	—	Liverpool, ports	K. Templar	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 3	—	Antwerp, ports	Deucalion	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 17	—	Hamburg, ports	Mentor	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 17	—	Liverpool, ports	Lycaon	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	—	Antwerp, ports	Teiresias	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	—	Glasgow, ports	Titan	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 3	—	Glasgow, ports	Achilles	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 10	—	Hamburg, ports	Helenus	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 10	—	Liverpool	Stentor	Br.	B. & S.

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Dec. 22	—	Hongkong, C'ton	Taishun	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 22	—	Foochow	Toonan	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 22	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Dec. 22	5.00	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 23	3.30	Ningpo	Kiangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 23	11.00*	S. H'kong, C'ton	Tungshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 23	2.00	Hongkong, Canton	Sunning	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 24	—	S. H'kong, C'ton	Kungping	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 24	—	Keelung, ports	Fukken Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Dec. 24	10.00*	Amoy	Ichang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 24	10.00*	Hongkong, C'ton	Yunnan	Br.	B. & S.
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Dec. 26	D.L.	Hongkong, C'ton	Choysang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 26	D.L.	S. H'kong, C'ton	Wingsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 27	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Dec. 28	—	Hongkong	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Dec. 29	noon	Hongkong, C'ton	Shantung	Br.	B. & S.
Jan. 1	—	Manila & Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Jan. 2	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	China Mail
Jan. 8	—	Manila & Hongkong	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Jan. 8	—	Manila & Hongkong	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

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Dec. 22	9.00*	Vladivostok	Yungshin	Chi.	L. V. Lang
Dec. 23	D.L.	Tsingtao	Hopsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
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Dec. 24	—	Dairen	Kohoku Maru	Jap.	O.S.K.
Dec. 25	11.00*	Tsingtao	Yingchow	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 27	—	Chinwangtao	Kwangping	Br.	K.M.A.
Dec. 28	12.30	Tsingtao, Dairen	Kobe Maru	Br.	J. M. & Co.

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Dec. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 22	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Chungking	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangwah	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenho	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 23	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Poyang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 24	10.00*	Wuhu	Wenchow	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Dec. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Esang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Dec. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 26	D.L.	Pukow	Waishing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Dec. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kiangyu	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Dec. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	B. & S.
Dec. 28	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
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K. Templar, *U. Kingdom*	Dec.	27
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Wuchang, *Hankow*	Dec.	24
Yawata Maru, *Japan*	Dec.	29
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Yankee Monument Unveiled At Souain

Temple To Foreign Legion Donated By Mrs. W. H. Farnsworth

Paris, Nov. 6.—Scores of monuments are being erected in all parts of France commemorating American bravery, but few have either as artistic or sentimental an interest as one dedicated last week in the highest point of the village of Souain, Marne, to commemorate the bravery of a few Yankees who gave their lives as members of the French Foreign Legion. The monument is the gift of Mrs. W. H. Farnsworth, whose son, Henry Weston, was killed on September 3, 1915. It is located in the heart of a cemetery and consists of a spacious enclosure containing a temple and is surrounded by cypress trees. The villagers intend to continue the memorial idea by setting out a boulevard lined by rare trees leading to the village.

The dedication services were conducted by Bishop Tissier from Chalons, and addresses were made by Gen. Du Port of the French Sixth Division and M. Milhaud, director of the foreign department of several French French charities.

The donors were represented by Charles Prince of Paris, who reminded that as "these men, Americans as well as French, renounced their share of joys and hopes for humanity, may their sacrifice inspire men in other lands and other times to a spirit of unqualified deeds to public liberty, order and peace."

Steamer Icebound; Passengers Starve

(*Reuter's Service*)

Shanghai, Dec. 20.—The following item in the German propaganda wireless service has been picked up locally and is issued with all reserve.

Berlin, Dec. 18.—The passenger steamer Augusta Victoria, with 40 passengers and crew on board, is aground and icebound since Monday in the shallow sea between the islands of Sylt and Foehr. They are in danger of starvation, and up to the present it has been impossible to afford them any assistance.

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MILLERAND MEETS TEST OF CHIVALRY

French President Saves Woman With Child From Having Her Goods Seized

Paris, Nov. 6.—President Millerand's chivalry was tested last week when he prevented the seizure of the household goods of a woman who with a baby girl had been abandoned by a French soldier.

The French law is strict in cases where rent is not paid, but friends of the woman, who had almost starved trying to save enough from her meagre earnings to pay off a portion of the debt, appealed to the President to exert his prerogative to stay the proceedings. Red tape did its best to defeat the well meaning friends, but some one in the Government offices sent a letter in the President's personal mail bag with the desired results.

The President, whose love for his family and devotion to his children have won the respect of his bitterest political enemies, promptly telegraphed the collectors, "Hands off," contending that despite the abandonment the woman still was legally a wife and the mother of a child of a soldier who had fought for France and that therefore she was entitled to more than words of pity.

While this does not necessarily establish a legal precedent, it is taken as a warning by the avaricious landlords who in the housing shortage have been taking advantage of the least opportunity to oust families of soldiers who have fallen on hard times since demobilisation.

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Assurances Given By Russian Mission

(*Reuter's Pacific Service*)

Peking, December 16.—Before any negotiations could be opened with the Russian Far Eastern Mission now in Peking that Mission was requested to give assurances on the following matters:

1.—That it would abstain from all political propaganda, i.e., propaganda incompatible with the social institutions of China.

2.—Assure the inviolability of the lives and property of Chinese residents in Russia and every reasonable facility to such Chinese residents.

3.—Give an explanation of the various regrettable incidents which have taken place on the Sinkiang frontier and in the Zaibaikal district and take the necessary measures to prevent a recurrence of such insidents.

Mr. Yourin has now given these assurances.

Urge More Wages For Chinese Labor

A meeting of several hundred Chinese laborers was held Sunday in a building on Burkill Road when the doctrine of more wages and shorter hours was advocated by several speakers.

The speakers declared that the standard of living of Chinese labor must be brought more into conformity to the conditions enjoyed by Western laborers and urged their audience to make their demands felt by employers here.

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Report Pope Bans Adam And Eve Film

Paris, Nov. 9.—The Bible says that Adam and Eve wore nature's costumes on the day they quit the Garden of Eden, but even that authority does not appear to justify motion-picture makers in being too realistic in presenting the careers of the first man and first woman up to the occasion of their primal moving day.

At least, Pope Benedict sees it that way. An Italian film company, at a cost of 5,000,000 lire, made a picture entitled "The Holy Bible." It pretended to give the story of what happened on earth from the creation to the crucifixion of Christ. It was shown at the Vatican, according to despatches from Rome to French newspapers, and the Pope was so shocked at certain scenes that he tried to have the film destroyed.

The owners refused, whereupon the Pope issued a proclamation to all Catholics, forbidding them to view the picture.

Stories from Rome say that the scenes which particularly displeased the Pope were those in the Garden of Eden, where Eve was shown munching an apple, surrounded by a vivid idea of what should be a terrestrial paradise. The actors in this scene wore no clothes.

In one of the scenes, that of the Tower of Babel, it is said that 20,000 actors took part.

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